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S.C. REFUSES STAY ON PATNA HC ORDER NIXING HIKE IN CASTE-BASED QUOTA

The D Y Chandrachud-led bench, however, agreed to hear 10 petitions of the Bihar govt against the Patna High Court's adverse verdict

NO INTERIM RELIEF, FINAL HEARING IN SEPT

The SC said it will list the petitions for final hearing in September. "We will list in September. No interim relief [at this stage]," CJI Chandrachud said. The HC had on June 20 set aside Bihar's amended reservation laws that raised the quotas for Dalits, tribals, and backward classes from 50% to 65% in public employment and educational institutions, saying it violated the Consitituion

HC ORDER ERRONEOUS, CLAIMS BIHAR GOVT

- In its plea before the SC, the Bihar government termed the HC order erroneous, claiming it transcended beyond the legitimate scope of judicial review by substituting 'opinion of State' with its own opinion | **P9**
- The Nitish Kumar-led government's amendments followed a caste survey, which put OBCs and EBCs at 63% and SC/STs at 21% of Bihar's population

50%

CAP ON RESERVATIONS LAID DOWN BY THE TOP COURT IN THE INDRA SAWHNEY CASE

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SHOOTING FOR THE STARS

Sarabjot Singh and Manu Bhaker advanced to the bronze-medal playoff in the mixed 10m air pistol event on Monday. If the duo finishes third, Bhaker will become the first Indian to win two medals at a single Olympic Games | AP | **P15**

Chakravyuh rap by Rahul to put the Centre on the mat

Uses Mahabharat metaphor to pin down govt, says Budget hasn't addressed people's concerns

PREETHA NAIR @ New Delhi

MAKING a strong pitch for caste census and legalised minimum support price (MSP) for crops, Leader of Opposition Rahul Gandhi in his fierce speech in the Lok Sabha on Monday argued that the Union Budget had failed to address the needs of poor and the marginalised communities.

In an hour-long speech during the discussion on the Union Budget, the Congress leader invoked the Mahabharat to allege that the *chakravyuh* of six persons had trapped the country, which led to an uproar. "In the 21st century, there is a new *chakravyuh* and that symbol is worn by the prime minister on his chest. What was done with Abhimanyu is being done with youth, women, farmers and the MSMEs.

"This *chakravyuh* attacked and destroyed small and medium businesses. This was done through demonetisation and tax terrorism. The Budget did nothing to end this tax terrorism," Rahul said.

In his all out attack, Rahul said by removing indexation, the BJP stabbed the middle class in the back and by enhancing long-term capital gains tax, it stabbed the middle class in the front. He claimed the INDIA bloc would pass bills on caste census and legal guarantee for MSP if it captures power.

The House witnessed uproar after Rahul displayed a picture of the 'halwa ceremony' held ahead of the Budget. "I wanted the budget to take up the caste census. Though the Budget was prepared by a 20-member committee, no Dalits, OBCs or Adivasis were in the picture," he said, prompting intervention from Speaker Om Birla, who asked him to read the rules of the House, Parliamentary Affairs minister Kiren Rijiju echoed Birla.

"*Chakravyuh* has three forces. First is the idea of monopoly, that two people should be allowed to own everything in India. One element is financial power. Second is the institutions, agencies (CBI, ED, I-T) and the third element is political executive," Rahul added.

Leader of Opposition Rahul Gandhi speaks in the Lok Sabha on Monday | PTI

> **In the 21st century, another *chakravyuh* has been prepared... What was done with Abhimanyu is being done with India, with its youth, women, farmers**
>
> Rahul Gandhi

HEATED EXCHANGES

There were heated exchanges between Defence Minister Rajnath Singh and Rahul over the latter's remarks that youth have been trapped in the Agniveer *chakravyuh* and that there are no provisions in Budget for pensions for Agniveers

CM, DCM visit to Delhi: Possible change of guard in Karnataka?

BALA CHAUHAN @Bengaluru

WITH Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and Deputy CM DK Shivakumar being summoned to New Delhi on Tuesday to meet the Congress high command, there are murmurs that "there could be a discussion on the possible change in guard in Karnataka," said well-placed sources privy to behind-the-scene developments in the ruling party of the state.

"The name of a senior, popular Congress leader has reportedly been sounded out as the next CM in the inner circles of the party, though no formal discussions have taken place even outside the inner ring," they said.

Sources, who didn't wish to be named, said the Congress high command has taken "serious cognizance" of the ongoing controversies regarding the alleged Valmiki Development Corporation scam – diverting funds meant for SC/ST to finance the guarantee schemes – and Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA) irregularities – allotment for sites in the name of Siddaramaiah's wife – which reportedly implicate Siddaramaiah, although so far there is nothing to prove his involvement. He has on various platforms denied his involvement, and has even constituted a single-member inquiry commission to investigate the allegations of irregularities in the land allocated by MUDA.

Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, accompanied by DCM D K Shivakumar and ministers, offers bagina at KRS dam on Monday | EXPRESS

The alleged scams rocked both Houses of the Legislature for the entire monsoon session, and now the Opposition – the BJP-JDS combine -- has decided to hold a week-long padayatra (foot march) from Bengaluru to Mysuru from August 3 to 10 over the alleged MUDA scam for which the Congress government has denied permission. **CONTINUED ON: P5**

EAM: No third-party mediation in China border dispute

YESHI SELI @ New Delhi

INDIA-China relations are not great at the moment and there are ongoing border disputes. However, that doesn't mean New Delhi is looking for third-party mediation, External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar said in Tokyo on Monday.

"We have a problem, (but) it is for the two of us to talk it over and to find a way," Jaishankar said while talking to reporters at a press conference in Tokyo on the sidelines of the Quad foreign ministers' meet.

Recalling his meeting with Chinese Foreign Minister Wang Yi twice this month, Jaishankar said: "Obviously, other countries in the world would have an interest in the matter, because we are two big countries and the state of our relationship has an impact on the rest of the world. But we are not looking to other countries to sort out what is really an issue between us."

Meanwhile, the joint statement issued after the foreign ministers' meeting targeted China's expansionist policies. In a clear message to Beijing, it said one country cannot dominate others. "All countries have a role in contributing to regional peace, stability, and prosperity, while seeking a region in which no country dominates and no country is dominated, competition is managed responsibly, and each country is free from coercion in all its forms and can exercise its agency to determine its own future," the statement said.

SC nixes ED plea, says order on Soren bail well reasoned

SUCHITRA KALYAN MOHANTY
@ New Delhi

THE Supreme Court on Monday refused to interfere with a Jharkhand High Court order granting the state's Chief Minister Hemant Soren bail in a money laundering case linked to an alleged land scam. While dismissing the Enforcement Directorate's plea challenging the HC's June 28 order, a bench of justices B R Gavai and K V Viswanathan termed HC's order 'very well reasoned', adding: "We don't want to observe anything more... if we observe, you (ED) might be in difficulty."

The SC, however, added that the observations made by the HC while granting bail to Soren should not influence the trial court in the case.

During the hearing in the SC, Additional Solicitor General S V Raju, appearing for the ED, claimed the probe agency has evidence to show the CM's office was directly dealing with the issue concerning the land in question.

The bench observed that the HC considered these aspects before granting bail.

In Ranchi, Soren welcomed the SC order. He claimed his imprisonment was orchestrated. He lamented the wasted time during his five-month incarceration, stressing that many important issues could have been addressed.

Krishna river floods B'gavi, Raichur, Bagalkot

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Belagavi

INCESSANT rain lashing several areas along the Karnataka-Maharashtra, particularly Belagavi district, is expected to cause massive floods as the levels of Krishna river and its tributaries are swelling drastically.

Already, thousands of families have been shifted to relief centres in flood-prone areas of Belagavi district and 45 bridges have submerged as 2.43 lakh cusec of water has been discharged from Maharashtra's dams into the Krishna river on Monday.

Sources said that since the onset of monsoon, five people have died and over 500 houses have been damaged in rural Belagavi. Crops in 26,674 hectare in Belagavi district too have been destroyed.

Gokak town inundated due to heavy rainfall over the weekend | EXPRESS

Though the Almatti dam level is at 55%, the outflow was 3,13,920 cusecs against an inflow of 2,71,385 cusecs on Monday. In Ghataprabha, outflow was 40,393 cusecs against an inflow of 47,420 cusecs. The dam is 92% full.

In all, residents of 28 villages, affected by overflows from the Hippargi barrage near Jamkhandi, have been reportedly compensated and rehabilitated. But farmers continue to live in these villages because of financial constraints, while the government is doing its best to rescue flood-affected people.

As on Sunday, the busy Lolsur bridge in Gokak was flooded, while hundreds of houses in Mutton Market, Kumbar Oni, Uppar Oni, Bhojgar Galli and Kalal Galli were inundated. Floods in Gokak, however, subsided on Monday afternoon.

As many roads and bridges in Khanapur and Chikkodi taluks were flooded on Monday, the local administration had to divert vehicles to alternative routes. Belagavi DC Mohammed Roshan declared a holiday for schools and PU colleges in most of the rain-affected areas of Belagavi district last week. **CONTINUED ON: P5**

EXPRESS READ

FSSAI: Meat at KSR rly stn was of goat, not dog

Bengaluru: The Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI) has confirmed that the meat samples collected from the KSR Railway Station on Friday, was only goat meat, refuting claims of any dog meat consumption. The meat was from Sirohi goat, a breed from Kutch in Gujarat and Rajasthan | **P3**

5 more held in coaching centre flooding incident

New Delhi: The Delhi Police on Monday arrested five more people, including an SUV owner and four co-owners of the basement of a four-storey building where three IAS aspirants died after it was flooded following heavy rain. With these arrests, the total number of arrests has risen to seven.

Pilot study of sat-based toll collection on B'luru-Mysuru highway in August

AKNISREE KARTHIK @Bengaluru

THE pilot study of a satellite-based toll collection system will soon commence on the Bengaluru-Mysuru national highway. The Global Navigation Satellite System (GNSS) is set to do away with toll booths across the country and replace the existing Fastag-based toll collection.

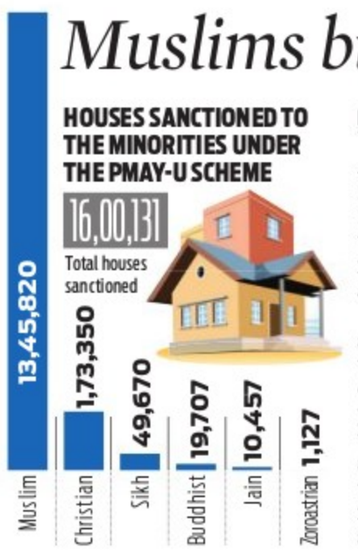
A senior official from the National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) told *TNIE*, "Of the two highways selected for the pilot study in India, the Bengaluru-Mysuru highway in Karnataka is also one. Preparations are on for trials that are expected to start soon, anytime in August. Indian Highways Management Company Ltd (IHMCL), a company promoted by NHAI, is looking into GNSS."

The pilot will be taken up only on a particular stretch of the Bengaluru-Mysuru highway, the official said, clarifying that the existing Fastag-based toll collection will continue, adding that even after the full-fledged rollout, till the people shift to GNSS, there will be toll booths.

Explaining how the toll will be deducted under GNSS, the official said, "Geo-fencing of the highway will be done. Once a vehicle enters the highway, a software will detect its entry through the GPS device fitted in the vehicle. Once the vehicle exits the highway, it will calculate the distance travelled from the entry and exit and deduct the toll as how it's done under the existing system." **P2**

HOUSING SCHEME

Muslims biggest beneficiaries among minorities



PARVEZ SULTAN @ New Delhi

A Rajya Sabha question seeking to quantify the beneficiaries among the minorities under the Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana-Urban (PMAY-U) threw up an interesting bunch of data.

The government's written response to the unstarred question last week said Muslims constitute 12.74% of the total pucca houses sanctioned for the minorities under the scheme launched in 2015 across the country. The overall figure for minorities under the scheme stood at 15.15%.

In all, 1.18 crore houses were approved by the government, of which 1.14 crore units have already been grounded for construction. And 85.04 lakh units have already been completed or delivered.

Of the 16 lakh houses sanctioned for the minorities, the share of Muslims is 13.45 lakh. Christians came a distant second with 1.73 lakh houses (1.64%). Sikhs have been sanctioned 49,670 houses (0.47%) and Buddhists 19,707 (0.19).

Jains and Zoroastrians were at the bottom of the list with 10,457 dwelling units (0.10%) and 1,127 (0.01%), respectively.

The Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs released the data on July 22 in response to a question by Satnam Singh Sandhu, Chancellor of Chandigarh University and nominated member of the Rajya Sabha.

The Centre is set to launch PMAY-U 2.0 to address the housing needs of 1 crore urban poor and middle class families with an investment of ₹10 lakh crore. "This will include a Central assistance of ₹2.2 lakh crore in the next five years," finance minister Nirmala Sitharaman announced in her Budget speech.

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• Nakshatra: Krithika 1.12 pm • Moon in Mithuna Rashi • Rahukaala: 03:00 am to 04:30 am
• Gulikakala: 12:00 pm to 01:30 pm • Yamaganda: 09:00 am to 10:30 am

WEATHER
MIN 21°C | MAX 27°C
FORECAST
Passing showers. Overcast.

Sunrise 06.05 am
Sunset 06.47 pm
Moonrise 01.08 am
Moonset 02.25 pm

RAW SEWAGE ENTERS SHEELAVANTHAKERE, KILLS FISH

Pipes need to be installed at the inlet; efforts on to improve dissolved oxygen level, says BBMP lakes division

MOHAMMED YACOOB
@ Bengaluru

TONNES of dead fish have been found floating on the banks of Sheelavanthakere Lake in Whitefield since Sunday. Residents and walkers said it could be due to raw sewage entering the lake from the Nallurahalli side, following rain last week. The lake is now stinking, they complained.

Officials from the Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP), Lakes division, said the mass fish kill is because of depletion of dissolved oxygen (DO) levels in the polluted lake.

The officials said they have sent a proposal to the government to install a 1.25-metre diameter diversion pipe at the lake to stop sewage from flowing in. They are waiting for approval.

Walkers said sewage flooding the lake was reported earlier too, but the BBMP lakes division has not developed the water body. "The officials keep saying they have sent proposals but they never follow up. It appears that there is no coordination between BBMP and BWSSB," said Rajashekhar Reddy, a resident of Nallurahalli, who is a regular walker at the lake.

Echoing it, Nallurahalli Nagesh, a Congress leader, alleged that water bodies in the Mahadevapura zone need immediate attention. "The present and previous MLAs have not done any development and opposition leaders in the area are keeping mum. That is the reason officials do not respond to citizens when such complaints are raised," he said.

BBMP Assistant Engineer (Lakes division) Sapna NK said workers have been deployed to clear the dead fish, dispose them of scientifically and clean the sludge. "Efforts are on to improve the DO level in water. The long-term solution will be to install a 1.25-metre diameter, 700-metre-long pipe along the lake at the inlet from the Nallurahalli side. Once the proposal is passed, a work order will be issued and will be taken up on priority," she said.

Lokayukta Justice BS Patil inspects facilities and services at Victoria Hospital in Bengaluru on Monday | GAYATRI SREEKESH

'Pathetic', says Lokayukta after inspecting Victoria

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

FOLLOWING persistent complaints surrounding the functioning of Victoria Hospital, and to assess the quality of services provided there, Karnataka Lokayukta Justice BS Patil paid a surprise visit and inspected the facility on Monday, along with Upalokayuktas justices KN Phaneendra and B Veerappa.

Describing the condition of the hospital as 'pathetic', Justice Patil highlighted the urgent need for improvements. The inspection covered various departments, including emergency services, outpatient facilities, and in-patient wards. The Lokayukta also scrutinised the pharmacy and sanitary conditions.

During the visit, Justice Patil spoke with patients and their families, to understand their experiences firsthand. Many patients voiced concerns about lengthy waiting periods, inadequate medical supplies, and the overall cleanliness of the premises.

Justice Patil expressed his dissatisfaction with the state of the hospital's infrastructure. "It is disheartening to see such a crucial medical institution struggling with basic amenities," he said, further emphasising that the authorities must take immediate action as the government has already released sufficient funds for improvements. The Lokayukta's inspection also revealed incomplete patient logs and a shortage of essential medical supplies, including Aspirin.

When he questioned the staff about CCTV footage of an incident, where the patient had fallen on the corridor while waiting for treatment, doctors mentioned that the family members and patient were resting and sitting in the corridor due to a lack of space.

Justice Patil instructed the hospital administration to provide a detailed report addressing these findings and proposed measures for improvement. He also caught doctors off-guard for not attending to patients on time and skipping their duty.

Justice Patil, who also inspected the BBMP-run Dasappa Hospital after inspecting Victoria Hospital, promised to conduct follow-up inspections to ensure compliance with the recommended improvements.

Repaired Peenya flyover opens for heavy vehicles

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@ Bengaluru

AFTER two years and seven months, the 4.2-km Peenya flyover along Tumakuru Road was opened on Monday for heavy vehicles. However, heavy vehicles will not be allowed for 24 hours every week – from 6am Friday to 6am Saturday – until further notice.

The National Highway Authority of India (NHAI) conducted a load test on Peenya flyover by running eight trucks, each carrying 32 tonnes, on the flyover continuously for 48 hours, before heavy public transport vehicles were allowed. Around 240 prestressed cables across 120 pillars were replaced before the tests were conducted.

A police officer said that earlier, heavy vehicles like buses, lorries and trucks were prohibited from plying on the flyover, leading to severe traffic congestion on Tumakuru Road. Vehicles travelling from North, South and Central Karnataka faced substantial delays due to this restriction. With the flyover now accessible to heavy vehicles, commuters can expect a notable reduction in traffic jams.

Joint Commissioner of Police (Traffic) MN Anucheth announced on Thursday, "From Monday, all kinds of vehicles are allowed to ply on Peenya elevated flyover. As special repair work is in progress on the flyover, every Friday 6am to Saturday 6am, heavy motor vehicle movement is restricted." He added that heavy vehicles are to move on the left lane, and the speed limit of 40 km/hour is enforced for such vehicles on the flyover.

The flyover, which connects Bengaluru to various districts of Central and North Karnataka, was shut for repairs in December 2021. After tests, only two-wheelers and four-wheelers were allowed for the past two-and-half years.

Bannerghatta National Park and forest staff secure a tuskless male elephant after it was captured on Monday | EXPRESS

Makhna that killed 3 caught in BNP

ENS @ Bengaluru

THE makhna (tuskless male elephant) that had come into conflict with humans, leading to the death of three people, including a forest official, was captured by foresters and kumkis (trained captive elephants) in Bannerghatta National Park (BNP) on Monday morning.

A team of eight camp elephants was brought in from Nagarahole and Dubare. While the forest department started work on the operation from Friday, a team of trackers kept a close watch on the movements of the elephant for a week. The camp elephants arrived on Saturday and the capture operation started on Monday morning.

"This was one of the fastest capture operations. The makhna that was to be captured was found with another makhna and a female, a little distance from the kraal. The animal was quickly darted and captured. The entire operation ended in half-an-hour and the elephant was moved to the kraal area of Bannerghatta Biological Park by 4.30pm," said an official.

Veterinarians who examined the animal said he has multiple pellet wounds on his body, indicating that he was in regular conflict with humans and was keen to explore new places, hence was involved in multiple raids. Forest officials said there was a need to capture the animal as it had killed one of their staffers, and was known for coming in close contact with moving vehicles, department jeeps, staffers on patrol duty and farmers.

Prabhakar Priyadarshi, Director, BNP, said the animal is aged around 30-35 years and is healthy. It has been kept in the kraal and is very aggressive. The next course of action, as to where it has to be sent, will be decided later. "It is difficult to take a makhna as they are equally, or sometimes stronger, than a tusker. It is an assumption that tuskers are strong, the tusks are only an external ornament," said an elephant camp expert.

PICTURE POSTCARD HONOURS MANU BHAKER

As a mark of honour for shooter Manu Bhaker who clinched India's first medal in the Paris Olympics, the Karnataka Postal Circle on Monday released a picture postcard on her. Also, the billboard outside the GPO kept flashing a message congratulating the bronze medallist. The postcard was released by the Circle's Chief Postmaster General S Rajendra Kumar at the GPO. "We had already released 15 postcards in connection with India's participation in the Olympics on July 26. We just redesigned one of them which already had Manu Bhaker with her pistol," he said. The postal department has also opened an Olympics exhibition at its Sandesh Museum on Museum Road.

NHAI eyes options to collect toll through number plates

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Along with the GNSS toll collection, which mandates a GPS device fitted into vehicles, NHAI is also exploring options to collect the toll through number plates. Under this, vehicles need not have a GPS device and the entry and exit will be calculated using Automatic Number Plate Recognition cameras and based on the distance travelled, the toll will get deducted on the go without any toll booths.

All new vehicles are enabled with GPS-tracking devices. Old vehicles have to get such devices installed, which will give the exact vehicle's location. Once the vehicle enters a highway, the software will record its entry and after it exits, it will calculate the distance travelled (from entry to exit) and deduct the toll.

Unlike the existing system, where vehicles are charged the full toll, even if they do not use the stretch fully, the GNSS system will calculate the exact distance travelled using satellite and deduct the toll accordingly.

Those installing banned flexes, beware, BBMP to act

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@ Bengaluru

BRUHAT Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) Chief Commissioner Tushar Girinath instructed all zonal commissioners to take strict action against those installing unauthorised flexes and banners in BBMP limits.

Addressing a meeting regarding various issues under the purview of the Palike on Monday, Girinath said, "Unauthorised flexes and banners are being installed, and it should be controlled effectively. In this regard, I have instructed the officials to take strict measures in their respective zones and take appropriate action to prevent unauthorised advertisements from being installed anywhere."

He added that the Palike and the police should conduct a joint operation to control unauthorised advertisements. He observed that unauthorised ads are often placed in the corporation limits at night. The chief commissioner instructed the officials to deploy one police vehicle in each respective zone and patrol the main roads to check and monitor installation of unauthorised flexes and banners.

Girinath also spoke about the mobile application to fix potholes and stated that officials were told to cover potholes on major roads of the city on priority basis.

With city seeing an average of 200 dengue cases, Girinath asked health officials to deploy staff for fogging in each ward. There are currently 30 active hotspots under the corporation, where neem oil and DEET cream are being distributed, especially in slums. In order to control dengue cases, frequent fogging and drug spraying should be done in mosquito breeding areas.

Special Commissioners Munish Maudgil, K. Harish Kumar, Suralkar Vikas Kishore, Avinash Menon Rajendran, Shivanand Kalkere, all Zonal Commissioners, Chief Engineer Prahlad and other officers were present.

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> Tushar Girinath, Chief Commissioner, BBMP

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

30TH July : Gemini is my sign of the day. I've recently been studying the Mayan day names of the ancient Mexican calendar, and it seems to me that Gemini equates to the Mayan sign Ic, the Wind. This symbolises divine inspiration and the reconciliation of cosmic opposites.

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
You will have to listen very carefully to both criticism and advice. The point is that people who are trying to help you out will know what needs to be said, but perhaps not how to say it. Don't let the so-called facts get in the way - if only because they might be the wrong ones!

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
It will pay to keep your distance and accept that there is a price to pay for personal intimacy. The Moon will soon be in a helpful place, so you may easily reduce the emotional temperature and enjoy yourself at the same time. And if somebody is keeping a secret, it might be for a very good reason.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
Once you have come to terms with enforced changes you should begin to see how to improve your bargaining position. From today you'll realise how a financial situation can be handled so much better. For a start, you can take control of circumstances rather than waiting for favourable conditions to turn up.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
All your planning and hard work may come to nothing if you fail to keep partners informed: if they don't know what's going on, you can't blame them for putting a spanner in the works. You'll very soon move happily into a much more communicative phase.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
You should be able to make up your mind at last. In fact, I'd say that you must take certain decisions now, especially if they affect your long-term security. There are indications that, whichever way you jump, the results will be to your liking. And that can't be bad!

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
Circumstances beyond your control are likely to alter much that you have come to take for granted, starting with financial plans and agreements. You may give all the time that is needed to talking about your needs at home, especially your desire for domestic security.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
The coming period brings planetary alignments that are well-nigh perfect. If ever you were in a position to make that final leap into a state of perpetual harmony, this is it. Make sure your feet don't leave the ground, though. In other words, keep going!

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
You are quite happy in the knowledge that you don't know what's going on. That's good, for you should not be troubled by the sort of little uncertainties that could be a feature of your life at the moment. You need to let other people shine, by the way, so stand back and give credit where it's due.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
If nobody has been willing to share your burdens in the past, have another go at soliciting support today. You may find friends in such a good mood that you can catch them off guard and lure them into uncharacteristic commitments. Whether that's good for the future or not is an open question!

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
There are a number of hurdles yet to be overcome, one of which is self-doubt. Believe in yourself and the whole world will believe in you, too! At least, partners will give you a lot more credit for your better ideas. When you take a second look, an apparent obstacle might actually be a major advantage.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
You're on a major cycle which deals with emerging maturity and wisdom, and today and tomorrow you're hitting a critical point along the way. This could be a moment to pause for self-congratula-tion, but also to plan the fundamental direction of your life over the coming years.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
Nobody would blame you if you found current events slightly frustrating. It's just that no matter how much you achieve, there is still more to be done. Spare some time for your day dreams, though, for the answer to a major question might lie deep in your imagination.

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

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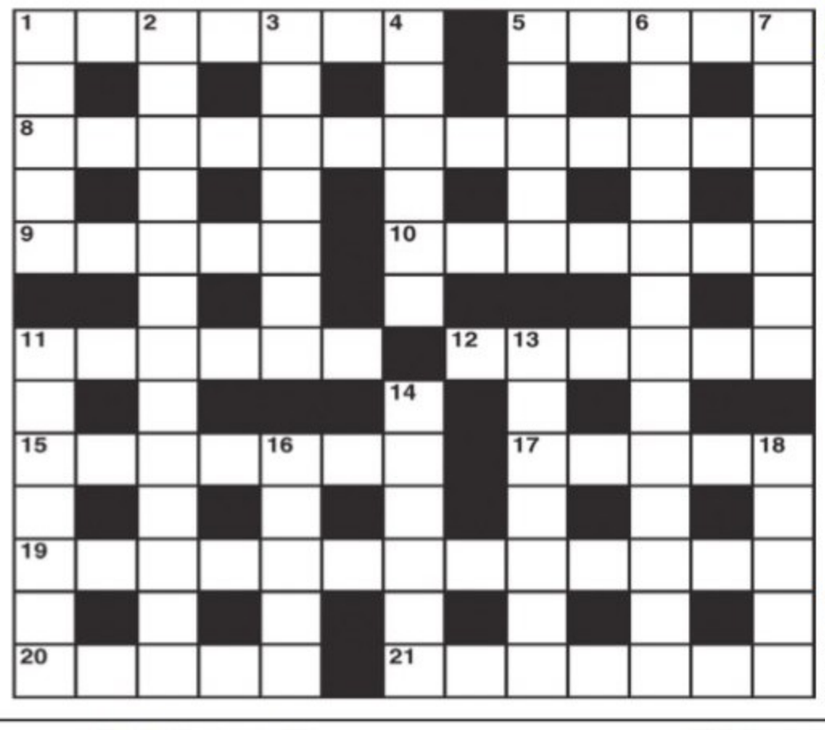

CROSS WORD

ACROSS
1 Urchin learning to beg (7)
5 A wire 200 yards long (5)
8 Is acclaimed and departs slamming the door (4,4,1,4)
9 Demand and get payment absolutely right (5)
10 He chooses to do his duty in a democratic way (7)
11 Oral tests in European subjects (6)
12 Slightly sensitive? (6)
15 Fighter turns to drama (7)
17 Be aware it shows sound judgment (5)
19 Undermine one's boss but give no indication (5,4,4)
20 Different route further from the centre (5)
21 A training habit we shed tears about (7)

DOWN
1 It's unique without second fireplace (5)
2 Resolute drama students are (8,2,3)
3 Looking out for a situation for the hands? (2,5)
4 Among the bravest heroines in the Old Testament (6)
5 Many go mad with desire (5)
6 Its result should be seen as the fairest (6,7)
7 Arrange a gay reel with zest (7)
11 Gets as far as waking up? (5,2)
13 Verbose sort of notice (7)
14 They may be all in a quiver (6)
16 Gloomy depression's beginning to lift (5)
18 Sort of wine of earlier vintage? (5)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Scuff, 8 Falsetto, 9 Scoop, 10 Thirteen, 11 Tunny, 12 Emu, 16 Centre, 17 Spiral, 18 Nee, 23 Still, 24 Alliance, 25 Drove, 26 Linotype, 27 Tarry.

Down: 2 Cactuses, 3 Footnote, 4 Mayhem, 5 Usurp, 6 Utter, 7 Pound, 12 E'en, 13 Use, 14 Victoria, 15 Fall over, 19 Escape, 20 Vault, 21 Fling, 22 Parts.

JUMBLE

UNSCRAMBLE THESE JUMBLES, ONE LETTER TO EACH SQUARE, TO FORM FOUR ORDINARY WORDS.

BY DAVID L. HOYT AND JEFF KNUREK

MMMYO

VRRIE

PCNOOH

RAOFDF

So do we want to get tickets for this afternoon?
Let's just walk around and see what we see.
6/4
THEY DIDN'T HAVE AN AGENDA WHEN VISITING ITALY'S CAPITAL SO THAT THEY COULD JUST ---
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Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

Ans. here: _____ _____ _____

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: GUPPY JOIST UNWISE EIGHTY
Answer: The young canine campers were having fun setting up their — PUP TENTS

A teacher of a higher primary school died by suicide at Yelagatavalli village in Arkalgud taluk of Hassan district on Monday, allegedly due to harassment by the school development managing committee president. Lokesh (42) was found hanging from a roadside tree. Police said SDMC president Manjunath used to allegedly abuse Lokesh and insult him over silly reasons

Nails strewn on Hebbal ORR, police start probe

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

THE Jalahalli traffic police have started a probe after nearly 500 gram of nails were found strewn under the Kuvempu Circle underpass on the Hebbal-Goraguntepalya Outer Ring Road. Taking the matter seriously, the police are checking the CCTV footage to see if the nails, which look new, were planted deliberately.

Videos and photographs posted by the Jalahalli traffic police on X showing two personnel, including a woman police constable, picking up the nails have gone viral on social media. The videos have garnered over 47,600 views.

Most users stated that this could have been done deliberately by some nearby puncture shops. Some others claimed that this was quite common on the Sarjapura-Marathahalli Road.

"On Saturday afternoon, some passersby alerted our traffic personnel manning the junction about the nails on the road. The nails were found on the corner of the road. As of now, it does not look like a deliberate act. There are no puncture shops in the vicinity. This is the first time such a large quantity of nails has been found. No vehicles were punctured and caused any traffic jam as our personnel picked up all the nails," said an officer attached to the Jalahalli traffic police station.

If police find anyone behind this, then an FIR under the relevant sections will be registered.

GARBAGE TRUCK MOWS DOWN TECHIES NEAR KR CIRCLE

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

A Sunday evening outing turned tragic for two software engineers when a BBMP garbage truck knocked down their bike near KR Circle. The driver, who allegedly abandoned the truck and fled, was traced and arrested by Halasuru Gate traffic police.

The deceased were identified as Prashanth, 25, a resident of Banaswadi, and Biyanugari Shilpa, 23, who is from Hindupur in Andhra Pradesh and was staying at a paying guest accommodation in Nagawara. Both were working as engineers in a software company.

Police said Prashanth picked up Shilpa and they went for dinner to a hotel in Majestic. Later, when they were going from Maharani's College Junction towards KR Circle at 8:45pm, a speeding garbage truck allegedly hit the bike. Both rider and pillion fell and the truck's rear wheels ran over them. The duo was rushed to Atal Bihari Vajpayee Medical College and Hospital in Shivajinagar, where they were declared brought dead.

BBMP Chief Commissioner Tushar Girinath, who held a meeting with officials on Monday, said the Palike will wait for the police report, and if the truck driver is at fault, the Palike will ensure the victim's families are compensated.

According to an official, since the victims had come under the rear wheels of the truck, police suspect it could be the negligence of the two-wheeler rider. "We have registered an FIR in this regard. The driver, Shivashankar, was absconding since Sunday night, and was traced and arrested on Monday morning," Halasuru Gate traffic police, who registered a case, added.

HEALTH AND HAPPINESS

Devotees carry Kavadi on Adi Krithigai to worship Lord Murugan in Bengaluru on Monday | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

2 DIE, 3 HURT IN SEPARATE ACCIDENTS

Bengaluru: Two men died and three others were injured in separate road accidents in the city on Sunday. Forty-year-old Kumar, a resident of Kariyappahalli and a tractor driver, was mowed down by a speeding car near Kariyappahalli Junction on Bannerghatta Road. Kumar and two women -- Savitha Bagh and Champaka, residents of Kariyappahalli and hailing from Nepal -- were crossing the road when the car coming from Jigani knocked them down. While Kumar died on the spot, the women, both daily wage workers, were injured and are undergoing treatment at a hospital. Passersby caught the car driver, identified as Harish (26), a resident of Jigani. The Bannerghatta police have arrested him. In another incident, Amarnath Reddy (45) of Chikkaballapura died after a milk tanker hit his two-wheeler near Chikka Sanne Gate on the Bengaluru-Bellary Road at 10.30 pm. Nagesh, a resident of Devanahalli, who was riding pillion, sustained injuries. The police said the milk tanker took a right turn abruptly and rammed the two-wheeler, causing the duo to fall. Passersby rushed them to a nearby hospital where doctors declared Reddy brought dead. Nagesh is undergoing treatment. The Devanahalli traffic police arrested truck driver Suresh. **ENS**

HC seeks copy of state's agreement with pvt professional colleges

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
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ACTING on a public interest litigation challenging some provisions of the Karnataka Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admission and Determination of Fee) Act and formation of a separate category of management quota admissions under 'other seats' at exorbitant fees, the Karnataka High Court on Monday directed the state government to submit a copy of the consensual agreement entered with associations of private professional colleges.

A division bench of Chief Justice N V Anjaria and Justice K V Aravind passed the order during the hearing of a public interest litigation filed in 2020 by city-based advocate Ajoy Kumar Patil.

Alleging that the state government was aiding and abetting profiteering by private professional colleges in the name of regulating the procedure for admission and fixing of fees, the petitioner contended that the method of entering into consensual agreements with associations of private colleges is contrary to the provisions of the Karnataka Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admission and Determination of Fee) Act.

Questioning the validity of the state government's action for fixing fees for medical, dental, and engineering courses in private professional colleges by way of consensual agreements on the ground that it is against the constitutional provisions and Supreme Court's judgment, the petition alleged that the admission policy and fee fixation was formulated to encourage "profiteering and exploitation" by such colleges. Most private professional colleges in the state are managed by politicians and religious or caste groups, it said.

EXPRESS READ

Hubby's illicit affair: Woman hangs self, records video

Dejected over her husband's extramarital affair, a 25-year-old woman died by suicide and recorded the act on her mobile phone. The incident happened at her house in Vidyamanya Nagar of Andrahalli on Sunday evening. The victim, Manasa, had put her mobile phone on video mode and hanged herself from the ceiling fan between 5.30 pm and 7 pm. In the video, she is said to have blamed her husband, Dileep, for her death. The couple has a three-year-old daughter. She used to have frequent fights with her husband over his affair. Both families reportedly fought outside the police station on Monday. The Byadarahalli police have registered a case. **ENS**

Meat of goat, not dog, seized at rly station, clarifies FSSAI

The Food Safety Department has confirmed that the meat samples collected from the KSR Railway Station on Friday, was only goat meat, refuting claims of any dog meat consumption. The meat was sourced from Jaipur in Rajasthan, was intended to address the demand for mutton in Bengaluru. The State Commissioner for FSSAI, Srinivas K, clarified that the lab test confirmed that the meat in question was not dog meat. Instead, it was identified as belonging to Sirohi goat, a breed from Rajasthan and the Kutch region of Gujarat. The Sirohi goat is distinct with its spotted body and slightly elongated tail, making it resemble a dog. FSSAI sources further mentioned that traders in the city have been sourcing this variety of mutton from Rajasthan for some time now, since there is less consumption of the meat there. **ENS**

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NOTICE

All the tenders* issued by Bharat Coking Coal Limited (BCCL) for procurement of Goods, Works and Services are available on website of BCCL **www.bcclweb.in,** Coal India Limited (CIL) e-procurement portal **https://coalindiatenders.nic.in** and Central Public Procurement portal **https://eprocure.gov.in.** In addition, procurement is also done through GeM portal **https://gem.gov.in.**

*This is applicable to all Open (Domestic/Global) Tenders issued through e-procurement portal of CIL.

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank **Rajajinagar I Block Branch**
(A Government Of India Undertaking) No.08, 2nd Floor, Next to Godrej Show Room, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru-560010.

DEMAND NOTICE [SECTION 13(2)]
TO BORROWERS/ GUARANTORS/MORTGAGORS

NOTICE ISSUED UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer **of Canara Bank, Rajajinagar I Block Branch** had issued Demand Notice under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Security Interest Act 2002 by Registered Post with Acknowledgment Due (RPAD) to the addresses furnished to the Bank as mentioned below. Since the notice has not been acknowledged and returned due to non-availability of addresses at the said addresses / due to evading of service of the notices sent by RPAD, notice could not be served. The contents of the said notice are mentioned herein below.

1. Name and Address of the Borrowers / Co-Borrowers/ Mortgagors / Guarantors : Smt. Puttamma. N W/o Late Sri. Raju. M. R, No.A613, 3rd Sector, HMT Colony, Jalahalli, Bengaluru -560013.

[Details of the credit facility/ies availed by the Borrower]

Sl. No.	Loan No	Nature of Loan	Limit	Liability with Interest As On 12.07.2024	Rate Of Interest	Date of Sanction
1.	0436973 0000181	OSL-Syndnivas Ready Built-MCLR	Rs. 24,73,000/-	Rs. 20,77,642.81/-	9.4_ % +_2_% penal Interest	11.12.2018

Total Liability Amount: Rs. 20,77,642.81 (Rupees Twenty Lakhs Seventy Seven Thousand Six Hundred Forty Two and Eighty One Paisa Only) as on **12.07.2024** together with further interest and incidental expenses from **16.07.2023** and costs.

NPA Date : 29.05.2024 **Demand Notice Dated : 12.07.2024**

Details of Security assets :
Name of Title Holder Smt Puttamma N

SCHEDULE "A" PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of the Residential Complex bearing Phase 2 formed in Block 3, comprising of 8 Houses and formed in Survey Nos. 113, 114 and 115, situated at Alur Village formed by Bangalore Development Authority, measuring East to West 21 Meters, and North to South 23.5 Meters, totally measuring 493.5 Square Meters, each House measuring 61.68 Square Meters and 8 houses in all measuring 493.5 Square Meters and Composite Property is bounded: On the East by: Road / Car Parking Space, On the West by: Park, On the North by: Road, On the South by: Block No.2.

SCHEDULE "B" PROPERTY: 61.68 Square Meters of undivided share, right, title and interest and Ownerships in the Schedule "A" Property and the total area of this house is 94.53 Square Meters.

SCHEDULE "C" PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of the Residential Flat No.B5-003,on the Ground Floor, in the 'B-5' Block, Phase-2, Model-2 Extension, having Super Built Up Area measuring 94.53 Square Meters, constructed on the Schedule 'A' Property, and bounded: On the East by: Flat No. B5-004, On the West by: Park, On the North by: Passage, On the South by: Flat No. B5-002.

You are here by called upon to pay **Canara Bank,** within a period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, the respective amount mentioned here above, failing which **Canara Bank** will take necessary action under the provisions of the said Act, against the secured assets including taking possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers and the Guarantors. The powers available to **Canara Bank** under the Act include (i) power to take possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers / Guarantors / Mortgagors including the rights to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realising secured assets and any transfer of secured assets by **Canara Bank** shall vest in the transferee rights in or in relation to, the secured asset transferred as if the transfer has been made by you. In terms of the provisions of section 13(13) of the said Act, you are hereby prohibited from transferring, either by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of your business), any of the secured assets as referred to in the Demand Notice and also Hypothecated / Mortgaged to the bank without prior written consent of the Bank. The notice is issued in terms of Section (13)2 of the said Act.

Date : 29.07.2024 Sd/- Authorised Officer
Place : Bengaluru Canara Bank

VISVESVARAYA TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY
"Gnana Sangama", Belagavi - 590018, Karnataka

No:VTU/BGM/DVG/RE/HK/MP/SECU/2024-25/IFT No:22/1894 Date: 26-07-2024

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION (2nd CALL)
(Two Cover System) - (e-Procurement Only)

As per the Karnataka Transparency in Public Procurement Act-1999 & Rule 2000, The Registrar, V.T.U., Belagavi invite tender through e-Procurement basis from eligible tenderers, registered in Labour Department & Other Concerned Department for the work of **Providing House Keeping, Security & Manpower Services through Out Source Agencies at UBDT., College of Engineering, Davanagere** Amounting to **Rs. 3,84,20,591/-**. Other details logon to Website: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in on 29-07-2024.**

Sd/- Registrar
VTU, Belagavi.

DIPR/Belagavi/480/Adverto/2024-25

JUNGLE LODGES & RESORTS LIMITED
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#49, West Wing Ground Floor, Khanija Bhavan,
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CIN-U55103KA1980SGC003775

No.JLRL/2023-24/SE0004/CALL-4 Date 26.07.2024

TENDER NOTIFICATION

Jungle Lodges and Resorts Limited invites for request for Proposal for Selection of Operator for Operation of Water Sports and Adventure Activities at Selected JLR Properties. The details of tender documents are available in the website : https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in. **The last date for receipt of tender document (through e-Procurement Portal) is 17.08.2024, 16.30 hours** and **EMD amount of Rs.5,00,000/-.**

For any further clarifications contact 91-8046010000 and 91-8068948777, E-mail: support@eprochelpdesk.com

Sd/-
Senior General Manager.

DIPR/CP/1129/MAA/2024-25

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Ottapalam, Palakkad District, Kerala - 679101.
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REQUEST FOR INFORMATION - RFI

The Ottapalam Co-operative Urban Bank is interested in going for a new Core Banking and switching solution replacing the existing solutions. The bank seeks a strong, scalable, secure and the latest cloud-based CBS application software to meet its current as well as future requirements. The RFI with details of the solutions required/ eligibility norms/ Technical requirements, key application requirements considered critical to the Bank as part of the proposed new solution will be available to the interested vendors from Bank's web site **www.ottapalamurbanbank.org** The same may be downloaded freely from **29.07.2024 to 12.08.2024. The last date of submission of bid is 12.08.2024, 05:00 PM.**

The RFI will not be available after the above date. The eligible bidders may submit their bids as per the details given in RFI. After the scrutiny of the eligibility criteria submitted by the vendors, the **Bank may short list eligible bidders for a demo and presentation.** Short listed bidders will be informed through mail with the details of the demo and presentation. Canvassing of any sort will be deemed to be a disqualification. **The Commercial bid formats will be issued only to the short listed venders** on the basis of the Technical demo/ presentation/ discussion etc.

(Sd/-) General Manager

PUBLIC NOTICE
REGARDING THE LOST DOCUMENTS

General Public are hereby notified that my client Sri. K.R. SHIVASHANKAR, S/o. Late K.C. Rudramuniyappa, aged about 73 years, residing at 2nd Nagarathpet, Shidlaghatta, Chikkaballapur District – 562 105, he and his family members who are the absolute owners of the property below mentioned, has lost the Original Documents namely **(1)** Sale deed dt. 21.06.1991, bearing Document No.802/1991-92, **(2)** L.P. No.479/1995-96 dt.13.09.1996 issued by Bangalore City Corporation, **(3)** Sale deed dt. 16.05.2001, bearing Document No.552/2001-02, **(4)** Sale deed dt. 18.05.2001, bearing Document No.644/2001-02, **(5)** Sale deed dt. 04.06.2001, bearing Document No.802/2001-02, **(6)** Sale deed dt. 08.06.2001, bearing Document No.902/2001-02, **(7)** Sale Agreement dt. 14.11.1980, bearing document No.3206/80-81, **(8)** Possession Certificate No.HBS/1043/AKB dt. 14.11.1980, issued by HMT Employees Co-Operative Housing Building Society Ltd., **(9)** Katha Certificate bearing No.RO/N/C II/89-90 dt. 22.06.1989 issued by BDA, Bengaluru. **(10)** Sale Deed dt. 28.02.1981, bearing document No.4608/1980-81, **(11)** Sale Deed dt. 21.09.1989, bearing document No.1949/1989-90, **(12)** Sale Deed dt. 21.06.1991, bearing document No.3745/1991-92, **(13)** Old and New Property Khatha's, **(14)** Property tax paid recipients, **(15)** Mother deed/s and other related documents of the Schedule Property etc., My client's have lodged a police compliant on 27.06.2024 vide Lost Article Report No.1118952/2024 with the Bengaluru City Police. It is hereby notified that any person/public are hereby requested to hand over the said documents to the undersigned if found. The finder will be suitably rewarded.

SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of residential immovable property bearing site bearing No.57, situated in HMT Layout, Bengaluru, old Corporation Ward No.97(old Division No.82) formed by the HMT Employees Co-Opertive house Building Ltd.,(Vishweshwariah Layout, Gangenahalli), now under the limits of BBMP, Bengaluru, and site measuring :

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Branch Office:Prestige Libra, Municipal No.45, (Old Nos. 45 & 45/1), First Floor, Lalbagh Road, above Pass-Port Office, Bangalore - 560 027. Contact:Mr. Janardhan, Mob. No.95904 90222

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

E-auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 9(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower / Co-Borrower/ Mortgagor (s) that the below described immovable properties mortgaged to the Secured Creditor, the **Physical possession** of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **Cholamandalam investment and Finance Company Limited** the same shall be referred herein after as **Cholamandalam investment and Finance Company Limited** . The Secured Assets will be sold on "**As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" basis** through E-Auction.

It is hereby informed to General public that we are going to conduct public E-Auction through **website https://bankauctions.in/.**

Account No. and Name of borrower/co- borrower,	Date & Amount as per Demand Notice U/s 13(2)	Descriptions of the property	Reserve Price / Earnest Money Deposit / Bid Increment Amount	E-Auction Date and Time / EMD Submission / Last Date Inspection Date
XOHEPEY00003122815 and HE02PEY00000002007. **1. Mohammed Mehaboob** **2. Nazia Jabeen S** Both are at: No.294, Flat No.303, 3rd Floor Munawar Appar, Thimaih Rd, Shivajinagar, Bangalore – 560001. **3. M/S. Unique Creations** **4. M/S. Unique Fashions,** Both are at: No.256, Ground Floor, Jain Temple Rd, Shivajinagar, Bangalore– 560001.	**26-11-2021 & Rs.94,29,880.40 and Rs.17,06,704/- totaling to Rs.1,11,36,584.40 as on 20-11-2021**	All that piece and parcel of the Residential Apartment No.303, New Municipal No.294/10, on Third floor measuring 1568 Sq.ft., super built-up area with 614 Sq.ft., undivided share, building known as "MUNAWAR APARTMENTS", formed in Property No.294, (Old No.23), Situated at Thimmaiah Road, Shivaji Nagar, Bangalore - 560051, Presently comes under the limits of BBMP and **bounded on** East by: Slaughter House Road, West by: Cockburn Road,North by: Thimmaiah Road and South by: Private property. **Measuring :**East to West 102.7 feet and North to South 104.7 feet in all measuring 10728 Square feet, Within the Registration District of Bangalore and Sub Registration Office.	**Rs.70,00,000/-** **Rs.7,00,000/-** **Rs.1,00,000/-**	**19-08-2024 at 11:00 am to 1:00 PM (with unlimited extension of 3 min each)** **16-08-2024 (Up to 5.30 P.M)** **13-08-2024 and 14-08-2024 (10.00 A.M to 1:00. P.M.)**

1.All Interested participants / bidders are requested to visit the website https://bankauctions.in&www.cholamandalam.com/news/auction-noticesFor details, help, procedure and online training on e-auction, prospective bidders may contact - **Mr. Muhammed Rahees – Ph.No.8124000030 / 6374845616, Ms.4 Closure.; Rekha, Ph No. 8142000062, Email: CholaAuctionLAP@chola.murugappa.com.**

2.For further details on terms and conditions please visit:- **https://bankauctions.in&www.cholamandalam.com/**news/auction-notices to take part in e-auction.

THIS IS ALSO A STATUTORY 15 DAYS SALE NOTICE UNDER RULE 9(1) OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES,2002

Date:30.07.2024, Place: Bangalore Sd/- Authorised Officer, M/s. Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited

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DR G: NO NOD FOR OPPN'S PADAYATRA

Parameshwara says opposition can do it if they want to, police will not give permission

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

AS Opposition Bharatiya Janata Party and Janata Dal (Secular) are gearing up for their seven-day padayatra from Bengaluru to Mysuru, Karnataka Home Minister Dr G Parameshwara on Monday said that they will not give permission for the padayatra. "If they want, let them do it. We will not ask them not to do it. The police department will not give permission to it," Dr Parameshwara said responding to a question.

The BJP-JDS leaders are taking out the padayatra from Bengaluru to Mysuru demanding Chief Minister Siddaramaiah's resignation over alleged irregularities in the ST Development Corporation and Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA). The minister said that they had also gone ahead with the Mekedatu padayatra without permission. "Let them do it, we will not stop them. But, we will not give permission to them," he added.

On the Congress' plan to counter the BJP-JDS padayatra, the Home Minister said KPCC president DK Shivakumar is working out a strategy. "If they are doing politics, we have to counter it. But, we will not do politics by using the government. We will do it from the party," he said. Dr Parameshwara said that they have already made it clear that there is no wrongdoing in the allotment of sites by MUDA, but since they have made the allegations, a judicial commission has been constituted.

It's aimed at making DKS CM, says Yatnal

BELAGAVI: While stating that there is an internal pact between a section of the Congress and BJP, Vijayapura City BJP MLA Basangouda Patil Yatnal has said the BJP-JDS padayatra is aimed at making DK Shivakumar the state's CM. At a programme in Athani on Monday, Yatnal said the intent of having the padayatra by his party along with JDS was having a different motive and that he would never agree to having such a yatra to make Shivakumar the CM. Yatnal said the padayatra should have to be against the Congress government's scams and not with other motives. Gokak MLA Ramesh Jarkiholi said he would like to take out a padayatra along with Yatnal against the alleged ST Corporation scam. "If the BJP top brass agrees, me and Yatnal would take out a padayatra," he said. Yatnal hit out at the BJP leadership for promoting state BJP president BY Vijayendra and said he would never accept the latter. Yatnal said he would hold the padayatra in consultation with the BJP top brass in the coming days.

BJP MP DEMANDS SIDDARAMAIAH'S RESIGNATION

BJP MP Lahar Singh said he would resign if his charges of looting of welfare funds by Congress leader were proved wrong by impartial enquiry. During his speech in the Rajya Sabha during the discussion on the Union budget, Singh called for the immediate resignation of CM Siddaramaiah. The BJP MP alleged that the Valmiki Development Corporation funds were diverted and received by the Congress in Telangana, Andhra Pradesh, including Congress leaders in New Delhi. If an impartial inquiry is conducted, it would reveal the true extent of this illegal diversion, he said and added that he would resign as an MP if the probe proved his claims wrong.

BJP leaders Byrathi Basavaraj, BY Vijayendra, R Ashoka, Sunil Kumar and others at a party event in Bengaluru on Monday | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

Opposition ups the ante, sets off on march, flood tour

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru:

OPPOSITION party members are on a campaign to reach out to the people of Karnataka: While one set of senior BJP and JDS leaders will set off on a padayatra from Bengaluru to Mysuru, another group will be visiting flood-hit areas. Throughout their route, they will try to highlight the government's failures.

The leaders gearing up for the Bengaluru-Mysuru padayatra in protest against the alleged MUDA scam, will be demanding Chief Minister Siddaramaiah's resignation. The team, headed by BJP State President BY Vijayendra, will begin the yatra on Saturday from Kengeri, after offering puja at the Kempamma and Ganapathy temples. The team, which includes senior leaders BS Yediyurappa, Pralhad Joshi, HD Kumaraswamy and others, will conclude the padayatra on August 10 at Mysuru, and will be received by senior BJP leaders from Delhi. Vijayendra said the plan is to walk 20km each day, and party workers from all 224 assembly constituencies will attend the rally. "We have formed teams and constituted a coordination committee with BJP and JDS leaders on it," he said, adding that the government cannot stop their rally.

The other group of leaders plans to split up into six teams and farm out across the rest of Karnataka, starting Tuesday. The teams will be headed by Leader of Opposition R Ashoka, senior BJP leader Araga Jnanendra, former deputy CM CN Ashwathnarayana, Leader of Opposition in the Council Chalavadi Narayanaswamy, Deputy Leader of Opposition Aravind Bellad and former minister B Sriramulu.

Ashoka told TNIE they will be visiting flood-hit places for the next three days where they will interact with people. "The government is giving Rs 5,000 per family if water enters their house, whereas we used to give Rs 10,000. Similarly, for house reconstruction, the government is giving Rs 1.25 lakh, how can people get their houses repaired?" he asked.

Have faith in govt, don't believe Oppn charges: Siddu to people

K SHIVA KUMAR @ Mysuru

WITH Opposition parties cornering the government on alleged scams in the Maharshi Valmiki Scheduled Tribes Development Corporation and MUDA, Chief Minister Siddaramaiah on Monday appealed to the people not to believe opposition charges and to have faith in the government, which has delivered on its guarantees.

He was talking to the media ahead of visiting New Delhi along with DyCM DK Shivakumar on Tuesday. The CM is leaving for Delhi by a special aircraft at 11 am and will reach New Delhi at 1.30 pm. He will return to Bengaluru around 11 pm.

On Monday, Siddaramaiah accused the opposition of trying to destabilise the government. He also alleged that Centre is misusing IT and ED, while BJP is involved in blackmail politics.

He said under Prime Minister Narendra Modi's rule, 121 ED cases have been filed, of which 115 are against opposition parties. These are aimed at demoralising and destabilising governments and sending chief ministers to jail. "We are not against any investigation, but it should be as per the rule book and not politically motivated," he added.

> Opposition parties want to politicise the issue and take out padayatra. Congress will reply politically
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> Siddaramaiah, Chief Minister

Defending the decision to boycott the Niti Aayog meeting along with other state governments ruled by opposition parties, he said it was to protest against the injustice done to the state in the budget and the 15th Finance Commission. Karnataka has not got its due despite accruing the second-highest amount of tax to the Centre. What has the Centre given to Karnataka, as compared to Bihar and Andhra Pradesh, he asked.

Congress has come to power winning 136 seats, but opposition parties are spreading lies and trying to destabilise the government as they have done in other states, he alleged.

"We are giving Rs 4,500 to each family through various schemes," he said, and dared opposition parties to wind up guarantee schemes.

On the BJP allegation that he is anti-Dalit for diverting funds from SCP-TSP for the guarantees, he said no BJP-ruled state has introduced the SCP/STP rule, while Karnataka has set aside 24 per cent of the budget (Rs 48,000 crore) for the downtrodden. There is no such scheme by the union government and the opposition has no moral right to speak about Dalits and backward classes, he added.

Corruption has reduced: CM

The CM said corruption has been contained under the Congress government as compared to the previous BJP government. He denied the accusation by Union Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman that Karnataka is a corrupt state and accused BJP and JDS of trying to dent the state's image by giving a corrupt tag to the state in Parliament. Claiming that there is no scam in MUDA, he said the government has constituted a judicial commission to clear the air. But BJP did not order a judicial probe or refer to the CBI nearly 20 cases, including the misuse of funds during Covid, he added. Opposition parties want to politicise the issue and take out padayatra. Congress will reply politically, he added.

He denied Nirmala's charge that investors are leaving the state, and said that in fact, investors are leaving the country under the BJP rule.

Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and DyCM DK Shivakumar offer bagina at Kabini dam in HD Kote taluk on Monday | EXPRESS

Ready to build Mekedatu dam if Centre gives nod: CM

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Mysuru

CHIEF Minister Siddaramaiah on Monday said that Karnataka is ready to construct the Mekedatu balancing reservoir project across the Cauvery if the Union Government gives its approval for the project. Accusing the Tamil Nadu Government of opposing the project for political reasons, the CM demanded that Mandya MP and Union Minister HD Kumaraswamy take up the Mekedatu issue with the Centre to get approval. Siddaramaiah said that BJP and JDS MPs have failed to raise issues concerning Karnataka in the Parliament and were pursuing trivial issues.

Speaking after offering bagina at the KRS reservoir in Mandya district, the CM accused the Opposition BJP and JDS of failing to raise issues related to floods, Upper Krishna, Mahadayi, and farmers in the recent monsoon session of the legislature. "The people of the state are mature enough, and the attempts by the Opposition to destabilise the State Government will fail," the CM added.

Meanwhile, DyCM DK Shivakumar said that a dam across the Cauvery at Mekedatu will be more helpful to Tamil Nadu. Karnataka has released 404 tmcft as against 177 tmcft in 2018-19, 275 tmcft in 2019-20, 211 tmcft in 2020-21, 281 tmcft in 2021-22, and 667 in 2022-23.Shivakumar said that the government will give a facelift to the world-famous Brindavan Gardens in KRS to promote tourism in a big way in the region. He said there would not be any compulsion on farmers to give up their land, and every detail will be discussed.

MUDA scam decade old, debate would've set bad precedent: Speaker

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Mangaluru

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY Speaker UT Khader on Monday strongly defended his decision of not allowing any discussion on the alleged Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA) scam in the just concluded Assembly session as he did not want to set a bad precedent.

"As per rule 62(7) and 63 of Karnataka Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in Karnataka Legislative Assembly, no motion which seeks to raise discussion on a matter pending before any statutory tribunal or statutory authority performing any judicial or quasi-judicial functions or any commission or court or enquiry appointed to enquire into, or investigate, any matter shall ordinarily be permitted to be moved," Khader told the media in Mangaluru.

UT Khader

Khader said that though the MUDA row is of public importance, it is not a recent occurrence as it happened 10-12 years ago when the now Opposition party was in power.

Stating that the State Government has already ordered a judicial inquiry into the matter, Khader said he was not ready to set a bad precedent by allowing an discussion to take place on the matter in the session. "If I had allowed it, then in future there could be demands for discussion on matters that are 30-40 years old. Hence, I clearly told the Opposition members to submit before the judicial inquiry if they have any evidence with regard to the Mysuru Urban Development Authority issue," he said.

Further, the Speaker said he allowed a discussion on the alleged Valmiki Corporation scam, even though there was no clear opportunity for it as it is a recent occurrence and a matter of public importance.

The Speaker said the nine-day session would have discussed more matters of public importance and he has regrets about it.

"The session takes place once in three months during which more and more matters of public importance should be discussed. Protests are part of democracy but priority should be given to people's issues," the Speaker added.

'No basic knowledge of budget': Siddu wants Nirmala dropped from cabinet

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

CHIEF Minister Siddaramaiah has urged Prime Minister Narendra Modi to immediately remove Union Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman from the cabinet. He accused the minister of not having the basic knowledge of the budget.

Siddaramaiah said the Finance Minister made a desperate attempt to cover up the injustices done to Karnataka by the Modi government. He noted that Sitharaman's misleading statements ultimately reveal that the Union Government has provided minimal support to Karnataka. According to Sitharaman, the previous UPA government (2004-2014) granted Karnataka Rs 60,779 crore, whereas the NDA government (2014-2024) provided Rs 2,36,955 crore. "However, they have forgotten to mention how much the Centre's budget size has increased over the past 10 years. Whether this omission is due to ignorance or a deliberate attempt to mislead the public needs to be clarified," the CM stated in a release.

He said in 2013-14, the Union Budget was Rs 16.06 lakh crore. At that time, Karnataka received Rs 16,428 crore as grants and Rs 15,005 crore as tax share, totalling Rs 31,483 crore, which accounted for 1.9% of the total budget. In 2024-25, the Centre's budget size is Rs 48.02 lakh crore. During this period, Karnataka will receive Rs 15,229 crore as grants and Rs 44,485 crore as the tax share, totalling 1.2% of the budget, he said.

If Karnataka were to receive the same 1.9% share as in 2013-14, the state would get Rs 91,580 crore. Due to the unfair treatment by the Modi government, Karnataka has lost Rs 31,866 crore for 2024-25, the CM added.

He also accused the Finance Minister of making misleading statements claiming an increase in Karnataka's tax share from the Union Government.

Over the past 10 years, the Prime Minister and the Finance Minister have unjustly allocated taxes and grants to states governed by Opposition parties, he said. It is ironic that Nirmala Sitharaman, who was elected to the Rajya Sabha by Karnataka, has acted against the state's interests, he added. "Given her actions, she lacks the moral authority to speak about Karnataka's financial status," the CM added.

> Karnataka has not got its due despite accruing the second-highest amount of tax to the Centre. What has the Centre given to Karnataka, as compared to Bihar and Andhra Pradesh
>
> Siddaramaiah, Chief Minister

PARAMESHWARA RUBBISHES ALLEGATIONS ON INVESTORS NOT COMING TO KARNATAKA

Home Minister Dr G Parameshwara refuted the allegations that investors are not coming to Karnataka owing to the law and order situation. Speaking to the media in Bengaluru, the Home Minister termed the allegations made by Union Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman as baseless. New companies coming to India will come with the options of investing in Karnataka, Tamil Nadu, Maharashtra, or other places and look at various parameters, including tax structure, power situation, availability of land, etc to decide on investments, he said. No investor has gone back after coming to Karnataka, he said. Dr Parameshwara said it was not correct for Central leaders to make such baseless allegations against Karnataka. Bengaluru is a growth engine of the country, the city is known across the world and they should encourage its growth like the way they promote New Delhi and Mumbai, he said. He hit out at the Centre for its step-motherly treatment of the state in Union Budget. "On what basis did they give Rs 15,000 crore to Andhra Pradesh? Those states too have to develop and we are not saying they should not give money to them. But, there has to be some basis for giving money," he said. The minister also questioned on what basis funds were given to Bihar. He said Karnataka contributes significantly to tax collection and they even went to New Delhi and approached the Supreme Court seeking more funds, but still they are doing injustice to the state. He defended the State Government's decision to boycott the NITI Aayog meeting on Saturday. The Minister said police drive against illegal immigrants coming to the state and drug peddlers will continue. The police will also take action against those creating fake documents to help illegal immigrants, he added.

Devotees order prasada just like in hotel, rue archakas

ASHWINI M SRIPAD @ Bengaluru

ARCHAKAS (priests) working in state-owned temples have written to the Endowment commissioner to ban online services from the portal. They claim that devotees book services the previous night, and next morning, expect to be given one kilo of puliyogare and one kilo of pongal prasada, "just like they order from a hotel".

Karnataka has over 34,000 endowment temples — 205 are Class A temples with annual revenue of over Rs 25 lakh; 193 are Class B temples with revenue between Rs 5 lakh and Rs 25 lakh, and the remaining are Class C with revenue of under Rs 5 lakh. Online services are given to Class A and Class B temples.

However, archakas are objecting to online services as they face inconvenience. "At Class B temples and some Class A temples, there is no provision to store groceries. Devotees book online service the previous night via mobile app, and expect us to provide prasada next morning. They order puliyogre or pongal by the kilo, just like they do in hotels. This reduces the sanctity of our temples," the Akhila Karnataka Hindu Devalaya Archaka, Agamika and Upaadhivantha Federation wrote to the Endowment commissioner.

Only a few, like Chamundeshwari Temple in Mysuru and Kukke Subramanya in Dakshina Kannada have warehouse facilities.

Principal Secretary KSN Dixit told TNIE that the mobile app service started one month ago has been given to a private agency. "The booking is done online the previous night. We charge Rs 300 to Rs 400 for prasada like pongal, puliyogre and even abhisheka. Groceries and time are needed to make the prasada. But devotees come early in the morning and demand 5kg prasada. Even for abhisheka, we need milk, curd, honey, and don't have space to store these items," he said. They will be meeting Endowment Minister Ramalinga Reddy soon.

Dixit said since booking is done with the help of a private agency, money is credited into the agency's account and takes weeks to reach the temples. "We need revenue to buy groceries but since the money is paid online, it goes to the agency. This has become a business rather than service," he added.

Amid speculation surrounding the Ratna Bhandar of Shree Jagannath temple in Puri, the Ratna Bhandar inventorisation committee decided to examine the treasury for any tunnels or secret chambers, this time using scientific methods and non-destructive technology

Madras HC grants 3 months to probe assets of officers

The bench asks officials to cooperate with DVAC, and facilitate 'fair, transparent and independent' inquiry

THOOTHUKUDI FIRING

R SIVAKUMAR @ Chennai

SAYING that the police officers responsible for the firing on the 'unarmed' anti-Sterlite protesters in Thoothukudi in 2018, in which 13 people died, must be made to feel the pinch, the Madras High Court on Monday granted three months time for the Tamil Nadu Directorate of Vigilance and Anti-Corruption (DVAC) to hold a 'fair and transparent' investigation into the assets of these 21 officers and submit a report to the court.

A division bench of Justices SS Sundar and N Senthilkumar passed the interim orders granting time to the DVAC while hearing a petition filed by Henri Tiphagne, executive director of People's Watch, seeking orders to the National Human Rights Commission (NHRC) to reopen the inquiry into the firing incident.

The bench also asked the department secretaries concerned and the DGP to offer "cooperation" to the director of the DVAC to hold "fair, transparent and independent" inquiry into the assets acquired by the police and revenue department officials named in the Justice Aruna Jagadeesan Commission report and their family members two years before and two years after the firing.

Saying that it does not have 'any particular interest' in the case, the bench said it is concerned about "preventing recurrence" of such incidents in the future as the protesters were 'chased' by the police when they were running off to save their lives.

"The people were targeted. We are unable to digest that these kind of things could happen. The police will go to any extent. We haven't heard of this," the bench noted.

Criticising the attitude of compensating the loss of lives with money and then closing the case, the judges asked, "Then what is the justice there (for the victims)?"

"They (police) were armed but the people were totally unarmed. After the firing incident, they were threatened with warning of further shooting," the bench added.

The court also said the CBI "shockingly failed" to bring to the fore the truth behind the shooting and termed the central agency's investigation report "unrealistic" and "unreliable" as it has failed in its mission.

The court also slammed Sterlite Copper for running without consent (of the government authorities) from 2009 to 2014, causing pollution.

Flooded Gokak town on Monday | EXPRESS

Risk of crop damage, diseases in riverside villages in Raichur

HIGHLIGHTS

- 44 bridges/roads submerged by overflowing Krishna river in Belagavi dist
- Five people dead in rain-related incidents since June 1
- About 500 houses collapsed partially or fully
- Crop in 27 lakh hectare damaged
- 23 km of roads (district and state highway) damaged
- 10 bridges damaged
- Hundreds of relief centres set up in flood-prone areas

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PWD Minister Satish Jarkiholi, who is also in charge of Belagavi district, advised officials to initiate measures to tackle the imminent flood situation on the border. He said relief centres have already been set up in most flood-prone areas and people affected were being shifted.

Women and Child Development Minister Laxmi Hebbalkar too visited several flood-affected areas in Khanapur taluk.

At least 3 lakh cusecs of water was discharged from the Basavasagar dam in Narayanpur on Monday. The flood situation has been prevailing in Lingasugur, Deodurg and Raichur taluks of Raichur district along the Krishna river for the past few days and there is fear of damage to crops and spread of infectious diseases.

On Monday, river water entered Rayadurga village in Lingasugur taluk. Local authorities have been told to educate riverside villagers about the spread of diseases.

Deodurg Tahsildar Channamallappa Ghanti said 3 lakh cusecs of water is being discharged into the Krishna river. As the Huvinahadagali bridge is flooded, vehicles are being diverted via the Tintani bridge. Agriculture and Revenue departments will conduct a joint inquiry and report to the district administration, he added.

Gurjapur bridge in Raichur taluk has completely submerged. Deputy Commissioner Nitish K and SP Putta Madaiah reviewed the flood situation in villages in Lingasugur and Deodurg taluks along the riverside on Saturday.

INTERNATIONAL TIGER DAY

'Tigers of Western Ghats have lower genetic variation'

BOSKY KHANNA @Bengaluru

THE tiger gene pool in central India has a larger genetic variation when compared to that of Western Ghats and South India.

This was revealed in a recent study by a team of 11 researchers, including those from the National Centre for Biological Sciences (NCBS). The study – Genomic Analysis of Isolated Tiger Populations, published in Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America -- stated that the southern large-connected population is disconnected from other tiger population genetic clusters in India, while the central, large-connected population was connected by gene flow to other tiger clusters.

Uma Ramakrishnan, co-author of the paper and researcher from NCBS, told The New Indian Express that samples of over 100 wild individuals have been collected, including the ones that have been relocated and captured in Karnataka. "The forest department is now getting people together, including scientists and forensic experts, to work on preparing a scientific database on gene pool. It has been found that cases of inbreeding are on the rise."

In the study, researchers noted that increased agriculture, bounty hunting, poaching, habitat loss and fragmentation have led to local extinctions of tiger populations.

The small-isolated population that was studied had less than 100 individuals, but was connected to the central large-connected population and potentially to the now-extinct tiger population in Afghanistan. They quantified the inbreeding by identifying long stretches of the genome that are homozygous and identical by descent.

"The large southern population has more inbred individuals than the large central population, potentially due to its geo-graphical placement, historic size and connectivity," noted the study. The researchers also found that pairs of individuals from the small– isolated population also shared large tracts of genome that were inbred.

Data of researchers prepared from India is also being compared and studied with that of Southeast Asia by researchers from other countries, including China.

To control man-animal conflict, the Karnataka forest department, is working on using scientific tools. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, wildlife, Subhash Malkhade, said camera traps are placed in conflict areas and using scientific data, plans are being drawn on how tigers can be relocated.

Students wear tiger masks to mark International Tiger Day to create awareness on saving the animal in Bengaluru on Monday | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

This officer saves tigers and young girls

BOSKY KHANNA @Bengaluru

GAYATRI R Badiger, Deputy Range Forest Officer (DRFO) from Kali Tiger Reserve (KTR), is a busy woman in forest circles. She is not just working on training tribal women and forest dwellers become independent, but is also ensuring that young girls who have just passed Grade 10 are not sent to Goa to work as maids.

Recognising her work, the Ministry of Environment, Forests, Environment and Climate Change (MoEFCC) and National Tiger Conservation Authority, honoured her with a special award on Monday on the occasion of Global Tiger Day, in Delhi. In all, 17 frontline staffers were recognised for their performance in the field.

Gayatri (29) was honoured in the category of 'People Participation and Eco-Development Activities'. She is the only official working in Swayam ENEC (Saving Wildlife in Association with Young Aspiring Minds; Eco-development and Nature Education Centre) in KTR. The organisation has been set up with the vision of community-based conservation, funded by KTR Foundation.

"Swayam was formed in 2023 and ever since, I have been working here. Prior to this, I was involved in a tribal relocation programme. With the help of NGOs, women are being independent. They collect honey. They also make coir mats and other items which are directly sold to Karnataka State Coir Development Corporation, who pay them directly," she told The New Indian Express, from Delhi.

She is not alone. Shankar CH, 57-year-old DRFO from Bhadra Tiger Reserve, was also awarded by Union Forest and Environment Minister Bhupender Yadav. He was recognised in the category 'For Village Relocation'.

GRAND PROCESSION

Devotees participate in the Mata Ghatam procession on the last day of Bonalu festival in Hyderabad on Monday | PTI

PIL against Rahul's remark on Prajwal

ENS @ Bengaluru

CHI NA RAMU, a Dalit leader, filed a PIL against Leader of the Opposition Rahul Gandhi, alleging that the Congress leader had, in a public speech in Karnataka, mentioned that mass rape had been committed by former Hassan MP Prajwal Revanna, who had also videographed the same.

Ramu, who is national president of the All India Dalit Action Committee, alleged that until now no proof of any rape had been found, nor were any complaints made by the women about what Rahul Gandhi had claimed. In his prayer, he asked for action to be taken against Rahul as per law, and demanded that Rahul Gandhi apologise for making the statement about 400 mass rapes.

Action against false charges in marital disputes: HC

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Kochi

THE Kerala High Court has condemned the practice of women filing frivolous complaints against husbands, specifically in cases where allegations of sexual harassment of minor daughters are made as a result of matrimonial disputes.

The court emphasised that all Pocso Special Courts should take appropriate action if they find that a complaint or information provided by the complainant is false. Following a trial, if it is found that there is no substance, the Pocso court should direct the police to register a case against the complainants. Justice PV Kunhikrishnan issued the order on the petition filed by a man seeking to quash the Pocso case registered against him on his wife's complaint under the provisions of the Pocso Act and the Juvenile Justice Act.

The court expressed concern, stating that in this particular case, a minor girl aged three years was being used by her mother as a weapon to fight against her husband. The court also observed that there is an increasing trend of parties in marital relationships engaging in indefinite fights due to misunderstandings.

If there is no chance for a reunion, a cordial separation is preferable. But it seldom happens, said the court.

Furthermore, the court observed that false allegations of sexual exploitation of child by a father due to matrimonial disputes can have severe and far-reaching consequences for all parties involved. Such actions can cause emotional distress for the accused, child, and other family members. The accused may have to face the trauma of criminal charges, even if the allegations are later proven false, the court stated.

> **There is an increasing trend of parties in marital relationships engaging in indefinite fights due to misunderstandings**
>
> Kerala High Court

IN CAUVERY

K'taka govt gets notice against unregulated ash immersion

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

THE Karnataka High Court on Monday issued a notice to the state government in connection with a Public Interest Litigation (PIL) filed by a group of advocates, seeking directions to strictly implement guidelines and rules to practice 'Asthi Visarjane' and its allied rituals, only at the designated spots that should be earmarked and desist from practising 'Asti Visarjane' in any other area on the banks of Cauvery.

A division bench of Chief Justice NV Anjaria and Justice KV Aravind passed the order after hearing the petition filed by Kushal Kumar Koushik and five other advocates. Stating that a direction be issued to the state asking it to recognise the Cauvery as a 'Juristic Person' taking precedence from the Uttarakhand High Court in declaring Ganga, Yamuna and its tributaries as juristic persons, the petitioners prayed the court to direct the authorities to completely ban Asthi Visarjane, and its allied practices at Gosai Ghat and Nimishamba temple in Srirangapatna taluk of Mandya district.

'Rumours of change in CM being floated by vested interests'

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MUDA hit the headlines after opposition parties raised a storm over the allotment of 14 sites to Siddaramaiah's wife Parvathi in an upmarket area in Mysuru, for giving up 3.16 acres for the development of Devanoor Layout by MUDA.

Meanwhile, TNIE spoke to some Congress leaders, who outrightly ruled out any change of guard and reposed faith in Siddaramaiah's leadership. "These rumours are being floated by some vested interests at a time when the five guarantees are picking up in Karnataka," said a senior party leader.

Sources in the party said the party central leaders may have summoned Karnataka's CM and DyCM to New Delhi to get direct information about the political developments in the state and there are no talks about change in leadership. The ST Development Corporation and MUDA issues are likely to come up for discussions during their meeting with the central leaders.

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> Senior Congress leader

EXPRESS READ

Al-Ameen holds seminar on medical education abroad

Bengaluru: A one-day education seminar was organised by Al-Ameen, in association with Edusolve Edutech Private Limited, running medical colleges abroad. Dr Phani Bhushan Potu, Director, ISM Edutech, said the poor and middle-class students, who could not get medical education in India due to high costs and were missing seats since they secured a few marks less in competitive exams, such students can get medical education in countries like Kyrgyzstan, Kazakhstan, Tajikistan, Georgia, and Barbados. "The students can hope to get an education at affordable costs of Rs 30 lakh.

Over 200 students get degrees at AIMS Institute's graduation day

Bengaluru: More than 200 students from diverse undergraduate programmes, including BBA, BBA Aviation, BA, BCA, BHM and BCom were honoured with degrees at AIMS Institute's 27th Undergraduate Graduation Day. Chief Guest Uma Reddy, vice-president of FKCCI, and MD, Hitech Magnetics & Electronics Pvt Ltd, former chairman, Department of Computer Applications, Bangalore University Dr Hanumanthappa, Bengaluru, Dr Roja Reddy, Executive Director & Principal of AIMS Institutes took part in the event. Uma Reddy spoke about navigating the ups and downs of life to overcome challenges.

Guha: Need to embrace Gandhi & Ambedkar

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Mysuru

RENOWNED historian and columnist Ramachandra Guha emphasised the need to embrace both Mahatma Gandhi and Dr BR Ambedkar in the struggle against caste inequality, despite disagreements between the two leaders.

Guha made the remarks during the Dr BR Ambedkar Jayanti celebration, organised by the CFTRI SC/ST Employees' Welfare Association at CSIR-CFTRI in Mysuru on Monday.

Guha highlighted the philosophical differences between the Mahatma and Dr Ambedkar, but stressed that both were lifelong opponents of caste discrimination.

He quoted Dr Ambedkar's statement, "I was born a Hindu but will not die a Hindu," to illustrate Dr Ambedkar's disillusionment with caste discrimination within Hinduism. Guha pointed out that Dr Ambedkar eventually embraced Buddhism. "If he had lived for another 10 years, millions of people might have converted to Buddhism," he added.

Guha elaborated on the divergent approaches of Mahatma Gandhi and Dr Ambedkar towards untouchability and caste reforms. The Mahatma, he noted, believed in purifying Hinduism by eradicating untouchability from within, aspiring to evoke moral conscience and achieve personal freedom. In contrast, Dr Ambedkar viewed caste discrimination as an intrinsic flaw in Hinduism that necessitated a complete break from the religion. Dr Ambedkar believed that the state should play a crucial role in enforcing secular laws to eliminate caste discrimination, he said.

Historian Ramachandra Guha offers flowers to Dr BR Ambedkar in Mysuru on Monday

Despite these fundamental differences, Guha argued, both leaders were crucial in the fight against caste inequality. He urged contemporary society to avoid viewing Mahatma Gandhi and Dr Ambedkar as rivals. "In their lifetimes, both had differences, sometimes radical ones. But today, we need to see them as complementary forces in the battle against caste discrimination," he said.

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ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ:ಕಾಪಾಅ/ಪಂರಾಇಂ/ವಿಯಾ/ಕೆಕೆಆರ್‌ಡಿಬಿ/ಟೆ.ಪ್ರ/ತಾಸ/2024–25/631 ದಿನಾಂಕ:29.07.2024

ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಸಂಕ್ಷಿಪ್ತ ಟೆಂಡರ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ (ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಮಾತ್ರ) ದ್ವಿಲಕೋಟೆ

1) ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳ ವಿವರ.: 1) ಶಹಾಪೂರ ನಗರದ ಕನ್ಯಾಕೋಳ್ಳೂರ ಆಗಸಿಯಿಂದ ಬೇನ್ನನಹಳ್ಳಿ ವರೆಗೆ ರಸ್ತೆ ನಿರ್ಮಾಣ **2) ಲೆಕ್ಕ ಶೀರ್ಷಿಕೆ:** 2023–24ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ ಕೆ.ಕೆ.ಆರ್.ಡಿ.ಬಿ. ಯೋಜನೆ **3) ಟೆಂಡರಿಗಿಟ್ಟ ಅಂದಾಜು ಮೊತ್ತ:** ಕನಿಷ್ಠ ರೂ. ಮತ್ತು ಗರಿಷ್ಠ ರೂ. 124.79 ಲಕ್ಷ **4) ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರ ದರ್ಜೆ:** 3ನೇ ದರ್ಜೆ ಮೇಲ್ಪಟ್ಟು **5) ಟೆಂಡರ ಫಾರಂ ಪಡೆಯಲು ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ:** 30.07.2024 ರಿಂದ 07.08.2024 ಸಾಯಂಕಾಲ 4:00 ಗಂಟೆವರೆಗೆ **6) ಟೆಂಡರ ಅರ್ಜಿ ಬೆಲೆ ಮತ್ತು ಇ.ಎಂ.ಡಿ. ಮೊತ್ತ:** ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ನಮೂದಿಸಿದಂತೆ (ಅರ್ಜಿ ಶಿಲ್ಕು ಹಿಂದಿರುಗಿಸಲಾಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲಾ) **7) ಟೆಂಡರ ಫಾರಂ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವ ಅಂತಿಮ ದಿನಾಂಕ:** 07.08.2024 ಸಾಯಂಕಾಲ 4:00 ಗಂಟೆವರೆಗೆ **8) ಟೆಂಡರ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ ತಾಂತ್ರೀಕ:** 09.08.2024 ಬೆಳ್ಳಿಗೆ 11:00 ನಂತರ **9) ಟೆಂಡರ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಆರ್ಥಿಕ:** 14.08.2024 ಬೆಳ್ಳಿಗೆ 11:00 ನಂತರ **10) ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳಿಗೆ ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸಬೇಕಾದ ವಿಳಾಸ (ಕಛೇರಿ ಅವಧಿಯಲ್ಲಿ):** ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರವರ ಕಛೇರಿ ಪಂಚಾಯತ ರಾಜ್ ಇಂಜಿನೀಯರಿಂಗ್ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಯಾದಗಿರ. **11) ಅಂತರಜಾಲ ತಾಣದ ವಿಳಾಸ:** https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in

ಸೂಚನೆ :– ಟೆಂಡರರಿಗೆಸಂಬಂದಿಸಿದ ಮಾಹಿತಿಗಳನ್ನು ಈ ಕಛೇರಿಯಿಂದ ಕಛೇರಿ ಅವಧಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಅಥವಾ https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in/ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು (ರಜಾದಿನಗಳು ಹೊರತುಪಡಿಸಿ).

ಸಹಿ/– ಕಾರ್ಯಪಾಲಕ ಇಂಜಿನೀಯರರು,
ಪಂಚಾಯತ್ ರಾಜ್ ಇಂಜಿನೀಯರಿಂಗ್
ವಿಭಾಗ, ಯಾದಗಿರ.

ವಾ.ಸಾ.ಸಂ.ಇ/ಯಾದಗಿರಿ/122/ಕೆ.ಎಸ್.ಎಂ.ಸಿ.&ಎ/2024–25

ನಗರಸಭೆ ಕಾರ್ಯಾಲಯ, ಸಿಂಧನೂರು

ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ:ನಕಾಸಿಂ:ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ:ಇ–ಟೆಂಡರ್:04:2024–25 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 26–07–2024

–:: ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ::–

(ಕೆಪಿಪಿಪಿ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ)

ಸಿಂಧನೂರು ನಗರಸಭೆಯ ಸನ್ 2024–25ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ 15ನೇ ಹಣಕಾಸು ಅನುದಾನ, ಎಸ್.ಎಫ್.ಸಿ. ಕ್ಯಾಪಿಟಲ್ ಅಸೆಟ್ಸ್ ಅನುದಾನ, ಎಸ್.ಎಫ್.ಸಿ ಮತ್ತು ನಗರಸಭೆ ನಿಧಿ ಎಸ್.ಸಿ.ಎಸ್.ಪಿ–ಟಿಎಸ್.ಎಸ್, ಮತ್ತು ಶೇ. 7.25% ಹಾಗೂ 5% ಯೋಜನೆಯ ಹಾಗೂ 2021–22ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ 15ನೇ ಹಣಕಾಸು (ಎನ್.ಎಂ.ಪಿ.ಸಿ) ಮತ್ತು 2023–24ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ ಎಸ್.ಎಫ್.ಸಿ. ಅನುದಾನದಲ್ಲಿ ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳುವ ಸಿವಿಲ್ ಮತ್ತು ಎಲೆಕ್ಟ್ರೀಕಲ್ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಜಾತಿಯವರಿಗೆ (ಎಸ್.ಸಿ) (ಇಂಡೆಂಟ ನಂ: 23021, 23042, 23151) ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಪಂಗಡದವರಿಗೆ (ಎಸ್.ಟಿ) (ಇಂಡೆಂಟ ನಂ: 23037, 23047, 19093 ಕಾಲ್–2) ಮತ್ತು ಇತರೆ ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ ವರ್ಗದವರಿಗೆ (ಇಂಡೆಂಟ ನಂ: 23006, 23009, 23014, 23017, 23027, 23029, 23057, 23098, 23210, 23132, 23179, 19078 ಕಾಲ್–2) ಲೋಕೋಪಯೋಗಿ ಇಲಾಖೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನೊಂದಾಯಿಸಿದ ಅರ್ಹ ಸಿವಿಲ್ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರಿಂದ ಕೆ.ಡಬ್ಲ್ಯೂ–I & 2 ರ ಷರತ್ತಿಗೊಳಪಟ್ಟು ಐಟಂವಾರು ಬಿಡ್ ದರಗಳನ್ನು ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದ್ದು ಇಚ್ಛೆಯುಳ್ಳ ಸಿವಿಲ್ ಮತ್ತು ವಿದ್ಯುತ್ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಿ ತಮ್ಮ ದರಗಳನ್ನು http://kppp.karnataka.gov.in ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್‌ನಿಂದ ಡೌನಲೋಡ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 12–08–2024 @ 4.30 ಗಂಟೆಯೊಳಗಾಗಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ. ಸದರಿ ಭರ್ತಿ ಮಾಡಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲಾದ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗಳ ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಬಿಡ್‌ನ್ನು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 13–08–2024 @ 4.45 ರ ನಂತರ ತೆರೆಯಲಾಗುವುದು. ಮತ್ತು ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಬಿಡ್‌ನ್ನು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 16–08–2024 ರಂದು ತೆರೆಯಲಾಗುವುದು ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳಿಗೆ ನಗರಸಭೆಯ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ www.sindhanurcity.mrc.gov.in ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಪಡೆದು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಬಹುದು.

ಸಹಿ/–ಪೌರಾಯುಕ್ತರು
ನಗರಸಭೆ ಸಿಂಧನೂರು

DIP/RCR/154/KSMCA/153/2024-25

ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

ಈ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆಯ ಮೂಲಕ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕರಲ್ಲಿ ತಿಳಿಯಪಡಿಸುವುದೇನೆಂದರೆ, ಹೆಚ್ಚುವರಿ ಸ್ವತ್ತು ನಮ್ಮ ಕಕ್ಷಿದಾರರಾದ ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ. ಕೈಲಾ ಕೋಂ ಸೋಮಶೇಖರ್.ಕೆ ಮನಸು ಗೋವಿಸಂದ್ರ ಗ್ರಾಮ, ಮತ್ತಾಸಲ್ಲೂರು ಆಂಚೆ, ಸರ್ಜಾಪುರ ಹೋಬಳಿ, ಆನೇಕಲ್ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ, ರವರು ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ, ಆನೇಕಲ್ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ಸರ್ಜಾಪುರ ಹೋಬಳಿ, ಕೊಮ್ಮಸಂದ್ರ ಗ್ರಾಮದ ಹಳೇ ಸರ್ವೆ ನಂ.105/2, ಹೊಸ ಸರ್ವೆ ನಂ.105/13, ರ ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣ 0.05.00 ಗುಂಟೆ (ಐದು ಗುಂಟೆ) ಸ್ವತ್ತಿನ ಮೂಲೀಕರಾದ ಶ್ರೀ. ನಾಗರಾಜು ಬಿನ್ ನಾರಾಯಣರೆಡ್ಡಿ, ವಾಸ ಕೊಮ್ಮಸಂದ್ರ ಗ್ರಾಮ, ರವರುಗಳಿಂದ ಕ್ರಯ ಪತ್ರ ಕ್ರಮಬದ್ಧ ಪಡೆಯಲು ಉದ್ದೇಶಿದ್ದು, ಹೆಚ್ಚುವರಿ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 19–05–2022, ನೊಂದಾಯಿತ ಕ್ರಯದ ಕರಾರು ಪತ್ರ ಮಾಡಿಸಿಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದು, ನಂತರ ಕ್ರಯ ಪತ್ರ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲಿರುವೆವು. ತೆರುವಕೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟು ನಂತರ ಮಾನ್ಯ ಪ್ರಧಾನ ಹಿರಿಯ ಸಿವಿಲ್ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಧೀಶರ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯದಲ್ಲಿ, ಆಸಲು ದಾವ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ, 911/2024 ದಾವೆಯನ್ನು ಸದರಿ ದಾವೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಹೆಚ್ಚುವರಿ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಸ್ವತ್ತನ್ನು ಮಾರಾಟ ಮಾಡದಾರರೆಂದು, ನಿರ್ಧಾರಕ ಆಜ್ಞೆಯನ್ನು ಪಡೆದುಕೊಂಡಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ, ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ ಹೆಚ್ಚುವರಿ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟಂತೆ ಯಾರು ಸಹ ಸದರಿ ಹೆಚ್ಚುವರಿ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿನ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಯಾವುದೇ ರೀತಿಯ ವ್ಯವಹಾರವನ್ನು ಮಾಡಬಾರದೆಂದು ಈ ಪತ್ರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆಯ ಮುಖೇನ ತಿಳಿಯಪಡಿಸುತ್ತೇನೆ. ಮುಂದುವರೆದು ಯಾವುದೇ ರೀತಿಯ ವ್ಯವಹಾರ ಮಾಡಿದಲ್ಲಿ ಸದರಿ ವ್ಯವಹಾರವು ನಮ್ಮ ಕಕ್ಷಿದಾರರಿಗೆ ಬಂದಾಯವಾಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲವೆಂದು ಈ ಮೂಲಕ ತಿಳಿಯಪಡಿಸುತ್ತಾರೆ.

ಹೆಚ್ಚುವರಿ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿನ ವಿವರ

ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ, ಆನೇಕಲ್ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ಸರ್ಜಾಪುರ ಹೋಬಳಿ, ಗೋವಿಸಂದ್ರ ಗ್ರಾಮದ ಹಳೇ ಸರ್ವೆ ನಂ.105/2, ಹೊಸ ಸರ್ವೆ ನಂ.105/13 ರ ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣ 0.05.00 ಗುಂಟೆ (ಐದು ಗುಂಟೆ), ಸ್ವತ್ತಿಗೆ ಚೆಕ್ಕುಬಂದಿ:– **ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ:** ಬಿ. ರುದ್ರೇಶ ರವರ ಸ್ವತ್ತು, **ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ:** ನಾರಾಯಣರೆಡ್ಡಿ ರವರ ಸ್ವತ್ತು, **ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ:** ಜಯರಾಜ್ ರವರ ಸ್ವತ್ತು, **ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ:** ರಸ್ತೆ.

ಡಿ.ಪಿ. ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ, ಮತ್ತು,
ಕಛೇರಿ ವಿಳಾಸ: ನಂ.5, ಯಲ್ಲಪ್ಪ ಬಿಲ್ಡಿಂಗ್, ಅತ್ತಿಬೆಲೆ ರಸ್ತೆ, ಆನೇಕಲ್ ಟೌನ್, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು–562 106.
ಮೊಬೈಲ್ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 9448329562 / 9686899234

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is here by informed to the general public that my client K.Shivagami is the absolute owner and are in possession of schedule property mentioned hereunder, However, my client has lost the original BDA Allotment letter No. 59/1997-98, dated:10.03.1998, Situated at Gerahalli Village, Banashankari 3rd Stage Extension, Bangalore and in this regard my client has lodged a complaint before the Bangalore City Police on 25.07.2024, regarding lost of original BDA Allotment letter pertaining to the schedule property.

Therefore, the general public are hereby informed that if any one possess of the aforesaid document and claiming right, title and interest in respect of the property mentioned in the schedule herein below, will amount to fraud, mis-representation and illegal. If any person wants to file objection with regard to above, they may do so with in 15 days from the date of the publication to the address given below.

If no objections are received within the said period, it will be treated that there are no claims against the schedule property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing BDA Site No.59, Sy.No.3, Situated at Gerahalli Village, BSK 3rd Stage Extension, presently comes under the limits of BBMP, BBMP PID No.54-365-59, BBMP Ward No:163-Katriguppe, measuring East to West: 30 Feet and North to South: 49 Feet in all measuring 1470 Sq. Ft, and bounded on East by : Site No.58, West by: Site No.60, North by : Site No.55, South by : Road

A.M.Gajendra, Advocate,
No.2, 3rd Cross, 3rd Main, Srinivasanagar, Kathriguppe Main Road,
Bangalore – 560 085. Ph. No.-9845562465
Bangalore Dated: 25.07.2024

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, the undersigned advocate on behalf of my clients **Sri Narayanappa and Others** have filed the above Petitioners have filed the above petition for the death certificate of **Muddamma W/o Late Ramanna @ Ramaiah was died on 25-01-2021** at Attibele Village, Vijayapura Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District if any parties who have objections may dispute regarding the same can appear before the Civil Judge & JMFC at Devanahalli and date of hearing **on 2/9/2024 at 11.00 A.M. in C.Misc.No. 230/2024.**

By Order of the Court, Sd/- Chief Ministerial Officer
Civil Judge & JMFC Court, Devanahalli
Sri Muniraju .N Advocate

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ROBERT H SCHULLER

PUBLIC NOTICE
LOST OF DOCUMENTS

Original Documents Sale deed, Allotment letter, Position Certificate of Umesh Govind Karajol S/o. Govind Karajol, No. 138, HIG-B2, Ground Floor, 90, Karnataka Housing Board has been lost in Kodigehalli Bangalore, Fir No. : 1165575/2024 dated-27/07/2024. Founder inform to 9900916555.

QuoteExpress

NEVER COMPLAIN AND NEVER EXPLAIN

BENJAMIN DISRAELI

DOCUMENT LOST

I, **ABDUL MALIK,** residing at # 28, 15th Main, 17th Cross, Near Mahaveer Spring Apartment, JP Nagar 5th Phase, Bangalore do hereby inform to the general public that in between 26th and 28th July 2024, while I was travelling near JP Nagar 24th Main Road, I have lost the documents of my Aadhaar Card No. 2675 6857 5515, Cheque book Leaf No. 33301010018442 7 and Sale Deed Agreement paper pertaining to the property, vide Doc. No. IN-KA05303857260540W, and inspite of my best efforts I could not trace the same and in this regard on 28-07-2024, I had lodged complaint at Police Unit, Bengaluru City, Vide Lost Report No. 1166001/2024. If anybody finds the above said documents or is in possession, please handover the same to the above said address or contact me on 8123995885

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public is hereby notified that our client **SMT.V.VANI WIFE OF SRI. MURALIDHAR** is the sole and absolute owner of the schedule property.

Original Sale Deed dated 22.06.1972 bearing document number 1622/1972-73 executed by Sri. B.A. Byroji Rao *in favour of* Sri. A.S. Kumar related to schedule property, are lost/misplaced by **our client.** In this connection, a police complaint has been lodged by our client on 26/07/2024 online.

Any person finding these documents Shall handover the same to the undersigned within 07 days from this day. If the said documents are misused by anybody, it shall not be binding on our client and he/she/they shall be doing so at their own costs and risks and he will proceed to sell and dispose off the schedule property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All the piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No.29, situated at Kathriguppe Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, measuring East to west: 30 Feet and North to South: 60 Feet in total measuring 1800 Square Feet is bounded as follows, on the

East by : Site bearing No.28;
West by : Site bearing No.30:
North by : Site bearing No.41:
South by : Road:

H.K.GIRISH, ADVOCATE
M & G Associates
73, 27th Cross, 11th Main, BSK 2nd Stage, Bangalore – 560 070.
Ph- 080-26632343/+91 88867044666

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is hereby notified General Public that Sri. K. Changalaraya Reddy represented that he is the absolute owner of below mentioned Schedule Property having acquired right, title and interest under a registered Sale Deed dated: 25-06-2021 from Bangalore Development Authority.

Sri. K. Changalaraya Reddy have offered to sell the Schedule Property in favour of my client for a valuable sale consideration representing that the Schedule Property is free and discharged of all charges, claims / clogs, litigations and he has not created any charge, encumbrance, lien or mortgage and there are no existing agreement/s over the Schedule Property.

It is therefore notified to the General Public that any person/s having objections or claims or contractual obligations or any manner of right, title or interest either on whole or portion/s in the form of undivided interest over the Schedule Property may lodge their claim with all supporting documents with the undersigned within (07) Seven days from the date of publication of this Public Notice.

Any claims / objections raised or filed after the said date will not be entertained and not binding on my client and my client will be entitled to treat that there are no objections and the Schedule Property is free from encumbrance and claims and proceed with the sale contract.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

ALL THAT PIECE AND PARCEL OF immovable property bearing Vacant BDA Site No. 205, Property ID No. 6000073830, situated at 18th Block, Arkavathy Layout, in the layout formed by Bangalore Development Authority in Sy.No. 22 of Byrathikhane Village, Bangalore, measuring East to West 6.00 mtrs., and North to South 9.00 mtrs., totally 54.00 sq.mtrs.. Bounded on the East: Site bearing No. 206, West: Site bearing No. 204, North by : 9.00 mtrs., wide Road and South by : Site bearing No. 239.

Sd/- **F. VARIS ALI,** Advocate
No. 2, Ground Floor, M.M. Complex-I
No. 60, Chickbazaar Road, Queen's Road Cross, Tasker Town, Bangalore - 560 051.
Mob No. 9900495777
Email: fvalegal@gmail.com

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public are hereby informed that my client's Sri. Harshith S.R, S/o. S.N. Raju, aged about 25 Years (Aadhar No. 5250 2135 1994) and Sri. H J Prasanna, S/o. Late H B Jayadeva Reddy, aged about 42 Years, (Aadhar No. 5452 4849 3251), have purchased the immoveable Property more fully described in the Schedule hereunder from its owner's Sri. Govardhan Naidu, S/o. Late Kuppuswamy, aged about 78 years, and Sri. Tirumal Raj G, S/o. Govardhan Naidu, aged about 42 Years, both are residing at No. 29/1, 1st Cross, 1st Main, Nanjappa Layout, Adugodi, Bangalore 560 030, registered as Document No.BMH-1-00627-2020-21, CD No. BMHD1170, dtd 12/06/2020, registered in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Bommanahalli, Bangalore.

WHEREAS, Kavitha Govardhan Naidu, D/o. Govardhan Naidu, had executed General Power of Attorney to her father Govardhan Naidu, and the same was adjudicated at the District Registrar, Jayanagar Registration District, Bangalore, vide adjudicated document no. 453/2018-19, dtd 13/07/2018 and she had released all her rights over the Schedule Property in favour of her father Govardhan Naidu and brother Tirumal Raj G, by way of registered Release Deed, Document No. BMH-1-03950-2018-19, Book-1, CD No BMHD798, dtd 18/08/2018, registered in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Bommanahalli, Bangalore.

Any Persons, financial institutions, having any sort of claim /rights /interest / charge/on the below said Property or any objections for the said sale of the Property may file their objections in writing along with supporting documents, addressed to the undersigned within 10 Days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which, it shall be construed that there are no claims of any sort over the below said Property. Any claims thereafter shall not be entertained.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the immovable residential house property bearing BDA Site No.169, New Municipal No.169, PID No.68-1-169, situated at Koramangala 1" Block, Bangalore, measuring East to West: (10.30 + 8.70)/2 meters and North to South: (20.10 + 19.00)/2 meters & bounded as follows:-

East by : Site No. 170/A, West by : Road, North by : Road, South by : Site No. 168

Along with 12 squares in Ground Floor & 12 squares in First Floor of RCC roofed house built in thereon, constructed with cement and bricks, the doors and windows are made out with honne wood, mosaic flooring with all civic amenities like water, electricity and sanitary facilities in the schedule property.

SRIDHARA .P, Advocate
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sridhar9559@gmail.com

Form No. 18

Notice for appearance in Appeals Order 41 Rule 14 CPC, and Rules 1, 2, 4 and 11 of Chapter IV Karnataka High Court Rules

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

MFA No. 8468/2023 (CPC-SJ)

Appellant : 1. SMT VASUMATHI KRISHNANDA W/o K D Krishnanda, Aged about 72 years Old, Residing at No. 277/B, 37th A Cross Road, Jayanagar 8th Block, Bengaluru 560 082.

And also at No. 4705, LA, Crescent Loop, SAN JOSE, California 95137, United, States of America.

By Sri. Deepak Bhaskar, Adv.

Vs

Respondents : 1. SRI RAMANATHA IYER K A, S/o Late K.K. Anantharama Vadiar, Aged about 85 years, Residing at Chikkaballapura Town, Chikkaballapura, Chikkaballapura District. and Others

Appeal From the Judgement/Award/Order passed on 06/12/2023 in O.S. Number 4757/2023 on the file of the V ADDL. CITY CIVIL & SESSIONS JUDGE, BANGALORE (CCH-13) .

To : Respondent No. 1 to 5

1. SRI RAMANATHA IYER K.A., S/o Late K.K. Anantharama Vadiar, Aged about 85 years, Residing at Chikkaballapura Town, Chikkaballapura, Chikkaballapura District.

2. SRI K A VARADARAJA IYER K.A., S/o Late K.K. Anantharama Vadiar, Aged about 82 years Old, Residing at Chikkaballapura Town, Chikkaballapura, Chikkaballapura District.

3. SMT K A SANGEETHA UMASHANKAR IYER, S/o Late K K Anantharam Vadiar, Aged about 82 years, Residing at Chikkaballapura Town, Chikkaballapura, Chikkaballapura District.

4. K A KRISHNA IYER, S/o. Late K.K. Anantharama Vadiar, Aged about 88 years, No. 2, IInd Main, Sarakki, Jaraganahalli, J P Nagar, Bengaluru 78.

5. SMT. SEETHALAKSHMI, W/o. Krishna Iyer K.A., Aged about 78 yeas, No. 2, IInd Main, Sarakki, Jaraganahalli, J P Nagar, Bengaluru 78.

Whereas the aforementioned Appeal preferred has been registered by this Court.

NOTICE IS HEREBY given to you to appear in this Court in person or through an Advocate duly instructed or through some one authorized by law to act for you in this case **on 21/08/2024 at 10.30 a.m.,** in case you intend to contest the appeal. If you fail so to appear, the appeal will be dealt with, heard and decided in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Court on 12th day of July 2024.

By order of the Court
Assistant Registrar

Possession Notice (For Immovable Property) Rule 8-(1)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **IIFL Home Finance Limited** (Formerly known as India Infoline Housing Finance Ltd.) (IIFL-HFL) under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, a Demand Notice was issued by the Authorised Officer of the company to the Borrower/Co-Borrowers mentioned herein below to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has **taken possession** of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Rules. The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **IIFL HFL** for an amount as mentioned herein under with interest thereon. "The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, If the borrower clears the dues of the **"IIFL HFL"** together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred, at any time before the date fixed for sale or transfer, the secured assets shall not be sold or transferred by **"IIFL HFL"** and no further step shall be taken by **"IIFL HFL"** for transfer or sale of the secured assets.

Name of the Borrower (s) /Co-Borrower(s)	Description of the Secured Asset (Immovable Property)	Total Outstanding Dues (Rs.)	Date of Demand Notice	Date of Possession
Mr. Krishna Somu, K Star Chemicals, Mr. T Krishna, Mrs. Bhagyamma, **(Prospect No. IL10093047)**	All that piece and parcel of Flat No. A-305, Floor No.3, A, Pride Sunrise, Site No.6,6A to 6S, Pride Vatika, Layout Bukkasagara, Village Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore, India-560076. Area Admeasuring (In Sq.ft.): Property Type: Saleable_Area, Carpet_Area, Property Area: 797.00, 609.78. Bounded By: North: As Per The Title Documents And Technical Report, South: As Per The Title Documents And Technical Report, East: As Per The Title Documents And Technical Report, West: As Per The Title Documents And Technical Report	**Rs.27,68,468/-** (Rupees Twenty Seven Lakh Sixty Eight Thousand Four Hundred and Sixty Eight Only)	15-May-2024	26-Jul-2024
Mr. Vardaraj Pandurangan, Mrs. Kavitha K. **(Prospect No. 957719 & IL10300878)**	All that piece and parcel of Site No.2, Khatha No.5/7, Situated at Devarachikkanahalli Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Tq. Karnataka, India-560076. Area Admeasuring (In Sq.ft.): Property Type: Land_Area, Property Area: 400.00, Bounded By: North: Purchasers Property, South: Private Property, East: Road, West: Private Property.	**Rs.9,99,506/-**(Rupees Nine Lakh Ninety Nine Thousand Five Hund-red and Six Only) **For 957719 & Rs.3,54,769/-** (Rupees Three Lakh Fifty Four Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Nine Only) **For IL10300878**	15-May-2024	26-Jul-2024

For, further details please contact to Authorised Officer at **Branch Office:** 'SOMA MERIT', No.9, Ground Floor, Venkataswamy Naidu Street, Taskar Town, Shivajinagar, Bangalore 560051 or **Corporate Office:** Plot No.98, Phase-IV, Udyog Vihar, Gurgaon, Haryana.

Place: Bangalore, Date: 30-07-2024 **Sd/- Authorised Officer, For IIFL Home Finance Ltd.**

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, DEPARTMENT OF SPACE
LABORATORY FOR ELECTRO-OPTICS SYSTEMS (LEOS)
PEENYA, BANGALORE-560058. LEOS CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE GROUP (LCMG)
[Phone: (080)-22685088, 5193, 5093, 5086, Fax: (080)-28392310]

BRIEF NOTICE INVITING e-TENDER (NIET)

On behalf of the President of India, item rate e- tender are invited for the following works:

Name of the work; NIT NO & Date : Proposed Vertical Extension at Second Floor of Existing Retiring Rooms at LEOS Campus, Peenya, Bengaluru-58 (Civil & PH works). NIET No: LEOS/CMG/CW-02/2024-25. Dtd: 23.07.2024 **Estimated cost put to tender & EMD in Rs. : Rs. 159.00 Lakhs EMD Rs: 3,17,969/- Period of Completion in months :** 08 months Tender document can be downloaded from : **Opening Date :** 25.07.2024 **Closing Date :** 12.08.2024

Name of the work; NIT NO & Date : Construction of storage yard, pathway in PEB area and storm water drain near collection well in LEOS campus, and Aryabhata campus, Peenya, Bengaluru-58. NIET No: CMG/LEOS/2024-25/LMN-04 Dtd: 25.07.2024 **Estimated cost put to tender & EMD in Rs. : Rs. 14.94 Lakhs EMD Rs:29,874/- Period of Completion in months :** 05 months Tender document can be downloaded from : **Opening Date :** 29.07.2024 **Closing Date :** 14.08.2024

Name of the work; NIT NO & Date : Contract for Removing of Building Debris/withered of plants/excess excavated earth etc., at LEOS, Aryabhata, Guest House & ISRAD Campus, Peenya, Bengaluru-58. NIET No: CMG/LEOS/2024-25/LMN-05 Dtd: 25.07.2024 **Estimated cost put to tender & EMD in Rs. : Rs. 9.39 Lakhs EMD Rs:18,777/- Period of Completion in months :** 12 months Tender document can be downloaded from : **Opening Date :** 29.07.2024 **Closing Date :** 14.08.2024

Name of the work; NIT NO & Date : Contract for providing Aluminium Partitions at LEOS Campus, Peenya, Bengaluru-58. NIET No: CMG/LEOS/2024-25/LMN-06 Dtd: 25.07.2024 **Estimated cost put to tender & EMD in Rs. : Rs. 10.72 Lakhs EMD Rs: 21,433/- Period of Completion in months :** 12 months Tender document can be downloaded from : **Opening Date :** 29.07.2024 **Closing Date :** 14.08.2024

Interested tenderers may please refer detailed Notice Inviting e-Tender (NIET) for eligibility criteria and other details in website: **www.isro.gov.in** and download the tender documents from **www.tenderwizard.com/ISRO**

Sd- GROUP DIRECTOR CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE GROUP (C&MG) URSC, BANGLAORE.

PHYSICAL POSSESSION NOTICE

ICICI Bank Branch Office: ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore- 560068

The Authorised ICICI Bank Officer under the Securitisation, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued Demand Notices to the borrower(s) mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the Notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said Notice.

Having failed to repay the amount, the Notice is issued to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described below, by exercising powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates. The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property. Any dealings with the property will be subject to charges of ICICI Bank Limited.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower(s)/ Loan Account Number	Description of Property/ Date of Physical Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs)	Name of Branch
1.	Arnav Tandon/ LBBNG00005829057/ LBBNG00005864325	Schedule 'A' Property (Description of The Entire Property) All That Piece and Parcel of The Converted Land Bearing Sy. No.48/4 Measuring 10 Guntas, Sy.No.55/1 Measuring 8¼ Guntas and Sy. No.39/10 Measuring ¾ Guntas in All Measuring 19 Guntas Situated at Kengeri Village, Presently Comes Under Bbmp Limits Bearing Katha No.4961, 39/10/4B/4/55/1, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Duly Converted Into Non-agriculture Purpose, Vide Om No.ALN[S][KAM]SR-78/2009-10 Dated 3-8-2010, Issued By Special Dc, Bangalore District, Bangalore, and Bounded On The: East By : Road West By : Passage North By : Sri. P. Shivakumar's Land; and South By : Sri Beerappa, Ramakrishnappa and Others Land Schedule 'B' Property (Description of Undivided Land Share Hereby Conveyed) 310 Sft., of Undivided Share, Right, Title, Interest and Ownership in Schedule-A Property Schedule 'C' Property (Description of Apartment Hereby Conveyed) All That Property Being Two Bedrooms,

KONKAN RAILWAY CORPORATION LIMITED
(A Government of India Undertaking)

OPEN E-TENDER (SINGLE PACKET SYSTEM) INVITATION NOTICE

Name of Work: Rate contract for deployment of Vehicle, Crane & Manpower for Electrical Projects as and when required basis between Chennai to Renigunta section of Chennai Division, Southern Railway. **Notice No: KR/CO/EL/HIRING-MAS/T/17/24 Dtd: 30/07/2024. Completion Period:** 24 (Twenty Four) Months. **Estimated Cost:** Rs.1,27,98,984/- excluding GST. **Bid Security:** Rs.2,14,000/-. **Last Date & time for Online Submission Of Tender: 20/08/2024 up to 15.00 Hrs. Opening of Tender: On 20/08/2024 at 15.30 Hrs.** Amendments / Corrigendum if any, would be uploaded on IREPS website only. **Submission of Tender Documents :** Through IREPS. Manual Tender Documents shall not be accepted.

Canara Bank
(A Govt of India Undertaking)

GA Section, Circle Office: Balmatta Road, Mangaluru-575001. Tel : 0824- 2423469, 2863355
E-mail: pecomlr@canarabank.com

ON-GRID SOLAR ROOFTOP POWER SYSTEM FOR VARIOUS LOACTIONS UNDER CIRCLE OFFICE, MANGALORE

Applications are invited in the prescribed Two Bid format from Vendors to carry out SITCM of On-grid Solar Rooftop Power System in following locations located at various districts of Karnataka under Circle Office, Mangalore.

Surathkal- 20 kWp	Arsikere- 20 kWp	Moodabidri- 20 kWp
Kalasapura- 18 kWp	Bantwal- 15 kWp	Uppinangady- 18 kWp
Mayamudi- 12 kWp	-	-

For more details log on to **Bank Website: www.canarabank.com/tenders.aspx or https://eprocure.gov.in/epublish/app.**
Last date of submission is 23.08.2024 up to 3:00 PM.

Place: Mangaluru, Date: 30.07.2024 Sd/-, Asst. General Manager

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ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ
ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು,
ಸಣ್ಣ ನೀರಾವರಿ ಮತ್ತು ಅಂತರ್ಜಲ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ವಿಭಾಗ,
ಕಂಟೋನ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್, ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ ದೂರವಾಣಿ: 08392-242293

ಸಂ: ಕಾನಿಇಂ/ಸಸಿ&ಅಂ.ಅ.ವಿ/ಬ/ಸ.ಇಂ-2/2024-25/705 ದಿ:26.07.2024

ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ
("KPPP" ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಕೆ.ಡಬ್ಲೂ-3 & 4 ಮುಖಾಂತರ)

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಮಾನ್ಯ ರಾಜ್ಯಪಾಲರ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಲೆಕ್ಕಶೀರ್ಷಿಕೆ 4702 ನಬಾರ್ಡ್-29 ರಡಿ ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ 2 ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳು ಹಾಗೂ 4702 ಪ್ಲಾನ್-ಆಣೆಕಟ್ಟು, ಪಿಕಪ್ ಯೋಜನೆಯಡಿ ವಿಜಯನಗರ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ 1 ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಾಗಿ ದ್ವಿಲಕೋಟಿ ಪದ್ಧತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಇಂಜಿನೀಯರವರಿಂದ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯ ಟೆಂಡರಿಗಿಟ್ಟ ಕನಿಷ್ಠ ಅಂದಾಜು ಮೊತ್ತ **ರೂ. 99.98** ಲಕ್ಷ ಟೆಂಡರಿಗಿಟ್ಟ ಗರಿಷ್ಠ ಅಂದಾಜು ಮೊತ್ತ **ರೂ. 108.94** ಲಕ್ಷಗಳಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನ್ನು **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 29.07.2024** ರಿಂದ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 05.08.2024** ರ ಸಂಜೆ 5.30 ಗಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಬಹುದು. ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯ ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಬಿಡ್‌ಗಳನ್ನು **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 07.08.2024** ರ ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 11.00 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ ತೆರೆಯಲಾಗುವುದು ಹಾಗೂ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯ ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಬಿಡ್‌ಗಳನ್ನು **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 09.08.2024** ರ ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 11.00 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ ತೆರೆಯಲಾಗುವುದು. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿಗಳನ್ನು "KPPP" ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ **http:// kppp.karnataka.gov.in** ನಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು.

ಸಹಿ/ ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಇಂಜಿನೀಯರರು,
ಸಣ್ಣ ನೀರಾವರಿ ಮತ್ತು ಅಂತರ್ಜಲ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ವಿಭಾಗ. ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ.

ಡಿಐಪಿಆರ್/ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ/293/ಕೆಎಸ್.ಎಂಸಿವಿ/2024-25

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED
(CIN: U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No: SEE/T(W&M)/MYS/EEE(O)/AE-3/24-25/1680-81 Date: 25.07.2024

TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through KPP Portal only)

KPTCL invites bids under Enquiry no: KPTCL/SEE/T(W&M)/MYS/EEE(O)/AE-3/works/2024-25/06 Dtd: 24.072024 for **"Replacement of 7 Nos of deteriorated 11kV [F1, F2, F3(aux), F5, F6, F8, F9] DP structures with all accessories at 66/11kV S/s Ponnampete on TTK Basis.**

The details regarding participation in the e-tendering process can be obtained by logging on to KPTCL website: **https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** with hyperlink **"E Procurement KPTCL"** or **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** on or after **31.07.2024.** Any other details can be obtained from the office of the undersigned during office hours.

Sd/- Superintending Engineer, Elecl.,Transmission (W&M) Circle, KPTCL, 1st Floor, Prasarana Bhavana, FTS Compound, N.R. Mohalla, Mysuru-570007. Ph: 0821-2455018.

PUBLIC NOTICE

VANIVILAS CEMENTS PRIVATE LIMITED
Regd Office: Railway Gollahalli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore -562123.

Notice is hereby given that the certificate (s) for the under mentioned securities of the Company as/have been lost /untraceable and the holder(s) of the said securities /applicant(s) have applied to the Company to issue duplicate certificate(s).

Any person who has the claim in respect of the said securities should lodge such claim with Company at its registered office with in 15days from the date. Else the company will proceed to issue duplicate certificate(s) without further intimation.

Name of the holder(s)/joint holders if any	Kind of securities/ face value	No of Securities	Distinctive Nos
Srinivasaiah Medisetty	Equity Shares Rs.10 each	12500	17601 To 30100
Srinivasaiah Medisetty	Equity Shares Rs.10 each	2500	43801 To 46300

Rupa Medisetty
W/O Late Srinivasaiah Medisetty
Names of Holder(s) Applicant

Place: Bangalore
Date: 30.07.2024.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The publicis hereby notified that my client **M/s. SRI VEERANAGAMMA BUILDERS AND DEVELOPERS,** intend to purchase the Schedule A to D Properties from Vendors (1) Smt. Shobha Surender (2) Sri. Y.S. Gautam Surender (3) Sri. Y.S. Srinath and (4) Sri. Y.S. Harsha, all are R/at. No. 250, S.C. Road, Subedar Chatram Road, Movieland Theater Annex, Gandhinagar, Bengaluru North Bengaluru, Karnataka- 560009.

The general public is notified that if there are any claimants or objectors/financial institutions or any other entity opposing the sale transaction, who possess valid and tenable documents in that regard may put forth their claim if any to the title or possession of the Schedule Property to the address of the counsel of the purchaser within 7 days from publication. Any objection without copies of valid documents and which is made after 7 days of publication will not be considered and my client shall go ahead with the sale transaction as if there is no objection or claim.

SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY (Owned by Smt. Shobha Surender)

All that piece and parcel of **Property bearing No. 250,**Old Nos. 262 and 14, PID No. 27-13-250, Movieland Theater, Subedar Chatram Road, old Corporation Ward No. 14, new Ward No. 27, situated at, Gandhinagar, within the limits of BBMP, Bengaluru and measuring 25340 Sq. feet and bounded on the:- East by:Part of same original Property No. 250 belonging to Sri. Y.S. Srinath; West by:Part of same original Property No. 250 belonging to Sri. Y.S. Goutam; North by:Part of same original Property No. 250 belonging to Sri. Y.S. Goutam; South by:Part of same original Property No. 250 belonging to Sri. Y.S. Harsha.

SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY (Owned by Sri. Y.S. Harsha)

All that piece and parcel of **Property bearing No. 250/1,** PID No. 27-13-250/1, Movieland Theater, Subedar Chatram Road, old Corporation Ward No. 14, new Ward No. 27, situated at, Gandhinagar, within the limits of BBMP, Bengaluru and measuring East to West 201.6+199/2 feet and North to South 30 feet 7 inches, total 6107.62 Sq. feet and bounded on the:- East by:Part of same original Property No. 250; West by: Subedar Chatram Road; North by:Part of same original Property No. 250; South by: Royal Lodge.

SCHEDULE 'C' PROPERTY (Owned by Sri. Y.S. Gautham Surendar)

Item No. 1: All that piece and parcel of **Property bearing No. 250/2,** PID No. 27-13-250/2, Movieland Theater, Subedar Chatram Road, old Corporation Ward No. 14, new Ward No. 27, situated at, Gandhinagar, within the limits of BBMP, Bengaluru and two portions measuring East to West 186 +182/2 feet and North to South 25+13/2 feet, total 3496 Sq. feet and built-up area 3496 Sq. feet and bounded on the:- East by :Remaining Part of the Property No. 250; West by: Subedar Chatram Road; North by:BBMP Road; South by:Reaming part of Property No. 250 and Common Passage.

Item No. 2: All that piece and parcel of Property bearing No. 250/3, PID No. 27-13-250/3, Movieland Theater, Subedar Chatram Road, old Corporation Ward No. 14, new Ward No. 27, situated at, Gandhinagar, within the limits of BBMP, Bengaluru and two portions measuring East to West 30 +23/2 feet and North to South 75+26/2 feet, total 1990 Sq. feet and bounded on the:- East by: Remaining Part of the Property No. 250; West by: Subedar Chatram Road; North by: Common passage and Property No. 250; South by: Common passage and Property of Sri. Y.S. Harsha.

SCHEDULE 'D' PROPERTY (Owned by Sri. Y.S. Srinath)

All that piece and parcel of **Property bearing No. 250/4,** PID No. 27-13-250/4, Movieland Theater, Subedar Chatram Road, old Corporation Ward No. 14, new Ward No. 27, situated at, Gandhinagar, within the limits of BBMP, Bengaluru, measuring East to West 80 +85/2 feet and North to South 158+160/2 feet, total 13118 Sq. feet and built-up area of 39,354 Sq. feet and bounded on the:- East by :R. K. Pillai's Property; West by: Part of same original property No. 250, belonging to Sri. Y.S. Gautam; Northby:Bengaluru Corporation Cross Road; South by:Royal Lodge.

Schedule A to D Properties are adjacent to each other and were part of a single property bearing old No. 250, Movieland Theater, measuring 50,051 Sq. feet of Subedar Chatram Road, Gandhinagar, Bengaluru, bounded on the:- East by: R.K. Pillaiah's Property: West By: Subedar Chatram Road: North by: BBMP Cross Road: South by: Royal Lodge in Subedar Chatram Road, Karnataka.

Sri. S.M. BIRADAR, Advocate
No.83, 2nd Floor, Sunkalpet Main Road, Cubbonpet, Bangalore-560002.
Mobile:99809 49477, Date 29.07.2024

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER ELECTRICAL CIRCLE (R&B)

NIRMAN SOUDHA BHUBANESWAR
E-mail - seec.bbsr2010@gmail.com
Bid Identification No.S.E.E.C (R&B) 02/2024-25
No. 2208 / Date 26.07.2024 /

B-121: The Superintending Engineer, Electrical Circle (R&B) Odisha, Bhubaneswar on behalf of the Governor of Odisha invites percentage rate bids for E.I. works which are to be received through online bidding, double cover system as detailed in :https://tendersorissa.gov.in. The details of bid documents will be available in the above website from dt.01.08.2024 at 05.00 P.M. to dt. 16.08.2024 up to 05.00 P.M. The bidders must possess compatible Digital Signature Certificate of Class II or III. Bids received online shall be opened dt. 17.08.2024 at 11.30 A.M. in the Office of the Superintending Engineer, Electrical Circle (R&B) Odisha, Bhubaneswar. Further details can be seen from the e-procurement portal **www.tendersorissa.gov.in.**

Addendum / Corrigendum, if required, will be available only in the Website.

Sd/- Superintending Engineer
Electrical Circle (R&B) Odisha, BBSR
OIPR- 34006/11/0002/2425

AIR FORCE STATION
Yelahanka, Bangalore-560063
REGIMENTAL SHOP

AOC Air Force Station Yelahanka invites tender applications from suitable vendors for running the regimental shop at Air Force Station Yelahanka, Bangalore for a period of one year. All qualifying applicants will be given preference as per the categories as follows: **(a)** War widows/Widows of defence personnel killed while on duty **(b)** Disabled soldiers/Ex-servicemen (c) Spouses/ Widows of Ex servicemen. **Availability of forms:** At SI Office on all working days (0900-1400 hrs from 29.07 24 to 14 08.24) **Cost of Forms:** Rs. 100/-(Non Refundable) **Earnest Money:** Rs.1,000/- in the form of DD in favor of OIC SI Fund AFS Yelahanka (Refundable). **Deposit of forms:** Tender Box kept at Main Guard Room from 01 Aug 24 to 16 Aug 24. **Opening of tender**: 1100 am on 16 08.2024 (In presence of applicants if any). The following shops available for tendering with minimum tender value of quote for the same:-

SN	Shop	MTV	Area
1.	Little Bite	Rs.12,271/-	Food Court
2.	Fast Food	Rs.15.555/-	
3.	Packers & movers: Vendor should be in possession of the National Permit for transportation with GST number)	Rs.6,500/-	Domestic area
4.	HAL Cafe	Rs.1650/-	Tech area
5.	112 HU Tech Fit	Rs.1100/-	

Right to accept or reject any of the bids: AOC, AFS Yelahanka. Contact No.080-23411081 Extn.7235 (Between 0900 hrs to 1400 hrs on all working days) Mobile No: 9167713407.

UNIVERSITY OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES
KRISHI NAGAR, DHARWAD-580 005 (Karnataka)
e-mail: spo@uasd.in Phone: 0836-2214384/231
Estate Branch, UAS, Dharwad

No. Ex.O /EO/Tender-eproc-02/2024-25 Date : 25.07.2024

Tender Notification (Through e-procurement portal)

University of Agricultural Sciences, Dharwad is inviting tender for procurement of Lab/Scientific Equipments, & Agricultural Implements, etc., through e-procurement portal. The registered authorized suppliers are requested to visit the website http://kppp.karnataka.gov.in and download the documents for participation in the tender. **Last date & time for receipt of Tender : 10.08.2024 (Saturday) till 04.00 PM.** Other Shedule of Events can be availed in the e-Portal. For more details please contact **0836-2214231** during office hours.

Tenderers need to register with e-procurement portal of Govt. of Karnataka B'lore, For details of registration please contact ph. No: **080-46010000.** Bidders are requested to get updated with the corrigendum/addendum (if any) issued online at the following link in the entire tender process. http://kppp.karnataka.gov.in

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Sd/-
ESTATE OFFICER
UAS, Dharwad

Executive Engineer, Public Works Department, Kolar Division, Kolar-563101.
e-mail: eepwdkolar07@gmail.com, website:www.kpwd.gov.in
e-portal: http://kppp.karnataka.gov.in
Phone No: 08152-222022, Fax No: 08152-227443

e-tender Notification – K.W. 4

Re-Tender Notification No: 11/2024-25 Dt. 23.07.2024-3rd call. (1) Tender notification No: 28/2023-24 Dt. 11.3.2024. (2)Tender notification No: 32/2023-24 Dt. 12.3.2024. (3) Re-Tender Notification No: 03/2024-25 Dt. 18.06.2024

Tender is invited through e-Procurement for 2 works in the limits of Malur & Srinivasapura Taluk, Kolar District Public Works Department from PWD Registered Contractors under **H/A: 5054- MDR Improvements Estimate cost : Min: Rs.183.73 Lakhs Max: 320.27 Lakhs EMD Amount: Min: Rs.2.76 Lakhs Max: Rs.4.81 Lakhs, Period for completion of work: 6 to 9 months.**

Contractors may download the tender documents KW- 4 from Karnataka State Procurement portal **viz., htpp:// kppp.karnataka.gov.in).** Filled in tenders shall be uploaded **on or before 16.00 hours. on 14.08.2024** through Karnataka State Procurement portal. Tenders received will be opened **after 16.30 hours on 16.08.2024** in KPP portal. Further details regarding the works and also for details about this tender notification please contact KPP portal and also you may contact this office during working hours.

Note: Any changes in this Notification will be published in KPP portal only.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, PWD Division, Kolar.
DIPR/KOLAR/R.O.No.128/KSMC&A/2024-25

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Online E – Auction Sale Of Asset
KOTAK MAHINDRA BANK LIMITED

Regd. office: 27 BKC, C 27, G-Block, BandraKurla Complex, Bandra (E) Mumbai, Maharashtra, Pin Code-400051, Branch Office.: Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd., No.22, 2nd Floor, Kotak House, M.G. Road, Bengaluru- 560001

Sale Notice For Sale of Immovable Properties

E-Auction sale notice for sale of immovable assets under the securitisation and reconstruction of financial assets and enforcement of security interest act, 2002 under rule 8(5) read with proviso to rule 9 (1) of the security interest (enforcement) rule, 2002. Subsequent to the assignment of debt in favour of Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited by **"Citifinancial Consumer Finance India Limited" (hereinafter referred to as "CCFIL")** the authorised officer of Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited (hereinafter referred to as **"the Bank/ KMBL/Secured Creditor)** has taken the physical possession of below described immovable property (hereinafter called the secured asset) mortgaged/charged to the secured creditor on 07.07.2022. Notice is hereby given to the borrower (s) and guarantor (s) in particular and public in general that the bank has decided to sale the secured asset through e-auction under the provisions of the sarfaesi act, 2002 on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" basis for recovery of **Rs.1,63,10,420/-(Rupees One Crore Sixty Three Lakh Ten Thousand Four Hundred And Twenty Only)** outstanding as on 26.07.2024 along with future applicable interest till realization, under The Loan Account No. 14115753 & 14116756: loan availed by Mr. Mitta Ramachandraiah Padmanabha, Mrs. M.P. Sunitha & M.r. Vinod Kamma @ Vinodamma as per below details.

Particular	Detail
Date of Auction	22.08.2024
Time of Auction	Between 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm with unlimited extension of 5 Minutes
Reserve Price	Rs. 72,50,000/- (Rupees SeventyTwo Lakh Fifty Thousand Only)
Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Rs.7,25,000/- (Rupees Seven LakhTwenty Five Thousand Only)
Last Date For Submission of EMD with KYC	21.08.2024 up to 5:00 p.m. (IST)
Description of The Secured Asset	All that piece and parcel of the property Bearing No.22, Present B.M.P No. 22/3, situated at 2nd Main Road, Appayya Garden, Saraswathipuram, Ulsoor, Bengaluru City Corporation Ward No. 75, Bengaluru-560008 measuring: East to West: 35 Feet, North to South: 30 Feet totally measuring 1050 Sq.ft. bounded as: East: Road, West: Mr. Nagappa's Property, North: Site No. 22/1, South: Girls School Compound together with 587 Sq.ft Building In Ground Floor, and 587 Sq.ft building in first floor.
Known Encumbrances	Earstwhile owner of the secured property Mr. K Minder Alias Mahendra has excuted mortagage deed (without possession) in favour of 1) Mr. Bheru Singh and 2) Mr. Mitthan Lal for Rs.4,50,000/-on 25.02.2005, which is reflecting in encumbrance certificate

The borrowers' attention is invited to the provisions of sub section 8 of section 13, of the act, in respect of the time available, to redeem the secured asset. Borrowers in particular and public in general may please take notice that if in case auction scheduled herein fails for any reason whatsoever then secured creditor may enforce security interest by way of sale through private treaty. In case of any clarification/requirementregarding assets under sale, bidder may contact **Mr. Vasanth Kumar H P (+91 9964722505), Mr. Nagaraj K (+91 8296621749). Bidder May Also Contact The Bank's Ivr No. (+91-9152219751) For Clarifications.** For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link **https://www.kotak.com/en/bank-auctions.html** provided in the bank's website i.e. **www.kotak.com** and/or on **http://bankauctions.in/**

Place: Bengaluru, Date: 30.07.2024, Authorized Officer: Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited

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KMML The Kerala Minerals and Metals Ltd
(A Govt. of Kerala Undertaking) Sankaramangalam, Kollam 691583
Phone: 0476-2651215 to 217 e-mail: md@kmml.com

TENDER NOTICE

For more details please visit E-Tendering Portal, https://etenders.kerala.gov.in or www.kmml.com

No.	Tender ID	Item
1.	2024_KMML_681835_1	For Fabrication & supply of Distributor Plate for Chlorinator
2.	2024_KMML_681856_1	For Fabrication & supply of Condensing Column Cooler E204-205
3.	2024_KMML_681389_1	For the supply of High Alumina Refractory Bricks
4.	2024_KMML_682285_1	Installation of Main DB, Tubewell DB & cables for catering power to TERC/FTH/Society buildings
5.	2024_KMML_682782_1	Tender for Project Management Consultancy service required for the work of execution of the proposed brown field project (EPC basis) for Modernization and improvement of recovery in the Mineral Separation Unit in KMML,Chavara
6.	2024_KMML_682228_1	For Fabrication & supply of Recycle Gas Cooler

Chavara 29.07.2024 Sd/- Managing Director for The Kerala Minerals and Metals Ltd.

IDFC FIRST Bank Limited
(erstwhile Capital First Limited and amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited)
CIN : L65110TN2014PLC097792
Registered Office: KRM Towers, 8th Floor, Harrington Road, Chetpet, Chennai-600031. TEL: +91 44 4564 4000 | FAX: +91 44 4564 4022.

APPENDIX IV [Rule 8(1)]
POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property)

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **IDFC FIRST Bank Limited (erstwhile Capital First Limited and amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited)** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated **25.04.2024** calling upon the borrower, co-borrowers and guarantors **1. T B CHANDRASHEKAR, 2. HANUMANTHAPURA BASAVARAJAPPA ANITHA** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 1,97,80,291.42/- (Rupees One Crore Ninety Seven Lac Eighty Thousand Two Hundred Ninety One And Forty Two Paise Only)** as on **25.04.2024** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said Demand notice.

The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken Symbolic Possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under sub – section (4) of section 13 of Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this **23th day of JULY 2024.**

The borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of THE IDFC FIRST Bank Limited (erstwhile Capital First Limited and amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited) for an amount of **Rs. 1,97,80,291.42/- (Rupees One Crore Ninety Seven Lac Eighty Thousand Two Hundred Ninety One And Forty Two Paise Only)** and interest thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub – Section (8) Of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description of the Immovable properties.

All That Piece Or Parcel Of The Immovable Property Being Vacant Site Bearing No. 64, Municipal Khata No. 64, Situated At Mahalakshmi Layout Further Extension, Bangalore, Presently Which Is Coming Under The Limits Of Ward No. 10, Mahalakshmipura Division Of Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Bangalore, Kamataka-560086, Pid No.10-69-64, Which Is Measuring East To West:- (8.8 + 9.10)/2 Meters And North To South:- (12.00 + 12.50)/2 Meters And Is Bounded On:- East: Road, West: Site No. 63, North: Site No. 24 And, South: Road

Date: 23-JUL-2024
Place: BANGALORE
Loan Account No: 10012823096, 32760582 & 21292021

Authorised Officer
IDFC FIRST Bank Limited
(erstwhile Capital First Limited and amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited)

RELIGARE FINVEST LTD
CIN:U74999DL1995PLC064132
Regd. Office : 1407, 14th Floor, Chiranjiv Tower, 43, Nehru Place, New Delhi - 110019
Corporate office : 7th Floor, Max House, Block A, Dr.Jha Marg, Okhla Phase III, Okhla Industrial Estate, New Delhi - 110 020
BRANCH OFFICE: No.421/G, 1st Floor, 1st Main Road, 1st Stage, Indiranagar, Krishna Temple Road, Opposite to SBI Branch, Bengaluru- 560038

APPENDIX-IV-A [See proviso to Rule 8(6) & proviso to Rule 9(1)]
AUCTION NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with provisos to Rule 8(6) & 9(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrowers that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the Symbolic Possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Religare Finvest Limited, Secured Creditor, **will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on 20.08.2024 for recovery of Rs.1,52,31,781.50** (Rupees One Crore Fifty Two Lakhs Thirty One Thousand Seven Hundred Eighty One and Fifty Paise Only) **due as on 23.07.2024** along with up to date, interest, costs and charges due to the RFL from the Borrower(s) /Guarantor(s) / Mortgagor(s) namely, **1) M/s MARUTHI ENTERPRISES, 2) Smt. SWETHA DEVARAJ and 3) Mr. DEVARAJU M**

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the **Property bearing Survey No.74/3, Thanisandra Village, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bangalore Karnataka Presently comes under Jurisdiction of BBMP** and bounded as follows. East By :Thayappa's Property, West By : Bachanna Navara Muniyappa's Property, North By : Ramesh Property, South By : Muniraja Property. **Measuring Totally 4 ¼ Guntas.**

The Reserve Price will be ₹ **2,30,57,685/-** and the **Earnest Money Deposit** will be ₹ **23,05,769/-**

Date, Time and Place of Auction: 20.08.2024
From 11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.
at Religare Finvest Limited, No.421/G, 1st Floor, 1st Main Road, 1st stage, Indiranagar, Krishna Temple Road, Opposite to SBI Branch, Bengaluru- 560038

Known Encumbrances

RFL is not aware of any encumbrances on the secured asset to be sold. Interested parties should make their own assessment of the secured asset to their satisfaction. Secured Creditor (RFL) does not in any way guarantee or makes any representation with regard to the fitness/title of the aforesaid secured asset.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided on Secured Creditor's website i.e., **www.religarefinvest.com**

For any other information, please contact **Mr.S.Ansar on his Mobile No.80734 05056** or contact him at his **e-mail id: ansar.s@religare.com and Mr.A.Wilson Mobile No. 93110 56699 or contact him at his e-mail id:a.wilson@religare.com**

Date : 26.07.2024
Place: Bangalore

Authorized Officer
M/s.Religare Finvest Limited

यूनियन बैंक Union Bank of India
K.G.F-ROBERTSONPET BRANCH,
B M Road, P.B.No.22, Robertsonpet KGF -563122
Ph. No: 08153-272629

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE

E-Auction Sale Notice for 30 days Sale of immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with provision to rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rule, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/ charged to the Secured Creditor, the Symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorised officer of **Union Bank of India (secured Creditor)** will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is basis"** on the date mentioned below, for recovery of dues as mentioned hereunder to Union bank of India from the below mentioned Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s). The Reserve Price and the Earnest Money Deposit are also mentioned hereunder.

Name and address of the Secured Creditor : Union Bank of India, Branch: K.G.F-Robertsonpet Branch, B M Road, P.B.No.22, Robertsonpet, KGF-563122.

Name and address of the Borrower, Co-Applicant and Guarantor: 1. Mrs. Ramakka W/o Yallappa, No.72, 9th Cross, Ambedkar Colony, Hongasandra Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk-560068. **Guarantors: 2. Mr. Y Sampangi** S/o Yallappa, No.72, 9th Cross, Ambedkar Colony, Hongasandra Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk-560068.

Amount due: Rs.1,39,35,761.13/- (Rupees One Crore Thirty Nine Lakh Thirty Five Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty one and Thirteen Paise Only) and future interest/cost/expenses thereon..

Description of immovable secured assets to be Sold : 1.All that peace and parcel of Residential Site bearing BBMP Khatha No.98, Site No.36/B, Property No. 98/36/B, B-Khata extract Sl.No.1067, Property No. 98/36/B measuring East to West 15 feet and North to South 36 feet, situated at Hongasandra Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk belonging to No. 1 of you and bounded by : East: Site No.37, West: Site No.36A, North: Private Property, South: Road.
2.All that peace and parcel of Residential Site bearing BBMP Khatha No.98, Site No.39/1, B-Khata extract 721, Sl.No.1066, Property No. 98/39/1 measuring East to West 15 feet and North to South 36 feet, situated at Hongasandra Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk belonging to No. 1 of you and bounded by :East: Road, West: Remaining Site, North: Road, South: Remaining Site.

Reserve Price : Rs.76,50,000/-
(Rupees Seventy Six Lakh Fifty Thousand Only)
Earnest Money to be Deposited: Rs.7,65,000/- [Rupees Seven Lakh Sixty Five Thousand Only]
Date and time of E-Auction: 29.08.2024 between 11.00 A.M. to 05.00 P.M. (with 10 min unlimited auto extensions)
Last date for submission of EMD : On or before the commencement of e-Auction.
E-auction website: https://ebkray.in.

For Detailed terms and condition of the sale, please refer to the link provided in **https://ebkray.in**
The online E-auction will be held through website: **https://ebkray.in**
For auction related queries e-mail to eauctionhelpdesk@unionbankofindia.bank or contact Union Bank of India, K.G.F. Robertsonpet Branch, B M Road, P.B.No.22, Robertsonpet KGF -563122, Contact No.9885365810, Senior Managar- G. Ravi.

Place: Bangalore
Date : 29.07.2024

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Union Bank of India

PLOTS FOR SALE

K.520 Pollachi Town Cooperative Building Society
10 Shop site, 1 School Site and 1 Community hall
Totally 12 sites for sale through e-Tender

Tender Reference No.
PTCBS-01/2024-2025

Last date for submitting Tender 28.08.2024, 5.00 pm
Web site: www.tntenders.gov.in

TATA CAPITAL HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED
Regd. Office: 11th Floor, Tower A, Peninsula Business Park, Ganapatrao Kadam Marg, Lower Parel, Mumbai - 400013.
Contact No. (022) 61827414, (022) 61827375
CIN No. U67190MH2008PLC187552

POSSESSION NOTICE (FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTY)
(As per Rule 8(1) of the Security Interest Enforcement Rules, 2002)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of the TATA Capital Housing Finance Limited., under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, issued a demand notice dated as below calling upon the Borrowers to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of the said notice.

The borrower, having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower, in particular and the public, in general, that the undersigned has taken Possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the said Rules.

The borrower, in particular, and the public in general, are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **TATA Capital Housing Finance Limited,** for an amount referred to below along with interest thereon and penal interest, charges, costs etc. from date of demand notice.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Loan Account No.	Name of Obligor(s)/ Legal Heir(s)/ Legal Representative(s)	Amount & Date of Demand Notice	Date of Possession
TCHHF0491000100154154 & TCHIN0491000100158585	**Mr Manjunath Gowda N** (Borrower) and **Mrs Anitha H** as (Co Borrower)	As on 15.05.2023 Rs. 10,95,283/-	26th July, 2024

Schedule of the Property: **SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY :** (Description of entire Property) All that Property measuring 07 Acres 20 Guntas in Survey No. 22 and 03 Acres 13 Guntas in Survey No.21, totally measuring 10 Acres 33 Guntas, situated at Ananthapura Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk and duly converted for non-agricultural residential purposes vide Orders of The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore, bearing (1) No. BDIS:ALN:SR (NA):79/1998-99 dated 09/02/1999 and (2) No. ALN (NAY)SR:99/2009-10 dated 29/01/2010 (less 5603.02 Sq. Mtrs., of land area relinquished to Bangalore Development Authority) and presently bearing Municipal No.843/Sy. Nos.21 and 22, in the records of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike and bounded by:East by : Road, West by : Ramagondanahalli Village Boundary North by : Property bearing Sy.No.23; South: Road and Property bearing Sy.No.20. **SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY** (Description of the Undivided Share) 278.35 Sq. Ft of Undivided share, right, title, interest and ownership in land in Sch

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— Ramnath Goenka

SHOOTERS GIVE INDIA HOPE FOR BEST HAUL AT OLYMPICS

AFTER the twin disappointments of Rio de Janeiro and Tokyo, Paris is turning out to be a much-needed shot in the arm for sport shooting in India. The contingent promised a lot for the 2016 and 2021 Games, but returned empty-handed. This time, in the quaint little town of Chateauroux some 250 km from Paris, Manu Bhaker, one of those vilified after the Tokyo Games, ended India's 12-year medal drought in the sport at the Olympics. Her bronze in the women's 10 m air pistol event came as a balm. It's not just Manu, but the entire shooting contingent seems to have learned from earlier missteps and upped its game. Bhaker is already in another final—the mixed 10 m air pistol event. Ramita Jindal and Arjun Babuta too advanced to the finals of their individual events on Monday, with Arjun finishing just outside the medals' podium. Manu will be the most decorated female Indian athlete at the Olympics if she manages to win another medal—in the mixed event where she and Sarabjot Singh would be shooting for bronze.

With more than half the events to go, this is the kind of performance the shooters needed. In such a precision sport—where a decimal point could be the difference between a podium place or watching on from the sidelines—every little bit helps. And that includes watching your colleagues, friends and compatriots find success in the shooting range. This sort of start is a far cry from what transpired at the previous two Games, when shooters were not even close to making it to the finals.

From a wider point of view, it's important for India to do well in shooting if the nation wants to get into double-digits on the medals tally. It's the one multiple-medal sport where they have world-class talent across categories. Considering that the National Rifle Association of India also came in for significant criticism after the last two Games, some credit must go to them as they have seemingly corrected course, at least for these Games. With other contenders yet to shoot, including Sift Kaur Samra, shooting may again be in the news for the right reasons. The tone is set and it's up to the others to follow. Indian athletes have had a great start in their quest to return with the best ever Olympic medal haul.

MAJHI BUDGET PRAGMATIC, BUT JOBS CHALLENGE STAYS

ODISHA Chief Minister Mohan Charan Majhi's first budget, tabled last week, must have come in one of the shortest spans in governance in recent memory. The BJP government officially took charge on June 12 and was straightaway expected to deliver a full budget—a daunting task. Budget preparation is a continuous exercise, but the change in government necessitated that the first budget of Majhi, who dons the role of finance minister too, was aligned with the party's vision for the state and fulfilled the promises made to the people who powered it to dislodge the Naveen Patnaik government. The enormity of expectations notwithstanding, Majhi had to deliver.

With an outlay of ₹2.63 lakh crore, 15 percent bigger than the previous one, the budget thus was on the expected lines. Some of the major announcements included a higher support price for paddy at ₹3,100 a quintal entailing a provision of ₹5,000 crore, ₹10,000 crore under Subhadra Yojana to provide ₹50,000 cash vouchers to adult women, and corpus funds for promoting and protecting the Jagannath temple and 'Odia *asmita*'. Key social segments such as farmers, women and tribal communities were given due importance. And over 40 popular schemes of the previous government were continued under new names, with a bit of tweaking in the structures that invited the opposition's taunts. On balance, Majhi has been pragmatic.

The government has devoted an impressive 22 percent of the 2024-25 budget to infrastructure development. The health sector saw a 32 percent jump in allocation and the farm sector a similarly healthy 37 percent increase in outlay. Skill development and tourism received attention. Majhi's focus has been on capital expenditure, which has grown from ₹66,910 crore last year to ₹81,436 crore. With new schemes on the anvil, programme budget has been raised substantially to ₹1.55 lakh crore, up about 24 percent. With earnings from mining likely to grow further, this state government seems surefooted in the face of huge challenges ahead. Promises such as filling up 1.5 lakh vacant government posts and creating 3.5 lakh new jobs through mega industrial ventures will require much more financial heft and planning. The Majhi government has started well, but with a strong opposition at its throat, its fiscal management will be tested.

QUICK TAKE

FOREX WORRIES FOR FAMILIES

THE rupee closed on Monday at 83.7275 against the dollar after hitting an all-time low of 83.74 earlier in the day. The Indian currency has depreciated more than a quarter over a decade. The government and the Reserve Bank have been seized of the situation throughout. But if the rupee slips further right now, it would upset the financial calculations of the thousands of families that are preparing to send their children abroad for higher studies in the coming weeks. It would be helpful if the government and RBI could pull out all stops to hold the rate as steady as possible till the end of September.

On the 25th Kargil Victory Day, it's worth taking a wider view of the 1999 war. Pakistan's terror strategies in Jammu today are similar to what we saw then

WHAT KARGIL '99 CAN TEACH ABOUT JAMMU TODAY

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THE saga of the Indian Army's response to Pakistani intrusions in the Kargil sector in 1999 has now reached the status of folklore. The heroes of the battles of Tololing, Khalubar, Tiger Hill and many more deserve their place under the sun and so do their families. The 25th anniversary of the Kargil Vijay Diwas—observed on July 26—is an occasion on which more can be told. There was so much happening at that time in so many other sectors—some of these relatively unknown facts deserve airing, too.

Besides Kargil, the Pakistani deep state had launched active operations of an intense kind—employing terrorists and even regular forces—in the adjoining Valley and Jammu regions. On Kargil's flank, in the Turtuk area near Siachen glacier was Point 5770, more foreboding than any. Today, it stands renamed Navdeep Top after a relatively unsung hero who had scaled the peak with a handful of Rajputs to kill and evict a Pakistani section.

It should be recalled that while carrying out operations in Kargil, General Parvez Musharraf's strategy was twofold. First was the intent of cutting off the Srinagar-Leh highway to starve Ladakh, and in consequence, force the vacation of Siachen glacier by the Indian Army—a pipe dream. The secondary or alternative aim was to disturb the counter-terror grid in Kashmir from where India would need to find troops to respond to Kargil intrusions. In addition, it was to motivate the J&K people to rise against the Indian government and thus weaken India's hold over the region. A potential public revolt was always a Pakistani obsession. It has been abortively tried several times with Operation Gulmarg in 1947-48 and Operation Gibraltar in 1965.

The 15 Corps, the Army's formation that oversaw the security of Kashmir and Ladakh in 1999, had an onerous responsibility. It was accountable for the LoC in Kashmir and Ladakh, as also internal security related to countering terrorism . Simultaneously, it also had Kargil, Siachen glacier and Eastern Ladakh to look after—a very tall order to be responsible for so many active fronts.

Pakistan-sponsored terrorism was at its peak. The Valley was flush with troops, although the Rashtriya Rifles (RR), the Army's counter-terrorism mainstay, had just 36 units, 27 less than the 63 that exist today. As many as five mechanised infantry units and one armoured regiment minus their main equipment were deployed in South Kashmir. They de-inducted immediately once the Kargil operations commenced. Infiltration was one of the major threats and despite all efforts to counter, there were regular leakages across the LoC helping swell the number of terrorists. More invariably came in than those who got killed in the operations within.

I held charge of the operations, intelligence and training domains of South Kashmir, which included the highly turbulent districts of Anantnag, Pulwama and Badgam. My headquarters was at Avantipur. We were fired upon every other day despite active patrolling along the periphery. On the very day I took charge, there were four areas where firefights were ongoing with terror groups. The remnants of the Afghan mercenaries still existed with some groups. Just four years before this, Al Firan had kidnapped five tourists and beheaded one of them in the Pahalgam area. The separatists were hugely emboldened because India treated them with kid gloves.

As the seriousness of the Pakistan intrusions dawned, a brigade from the Sindh Valley was detached to move to Kargil and an RR sector from Kulgam took its place. This was the beginning of the movement of troops in different directions, with the mechanised units moving out too. As it became clear that a full division size force would move to Kargil, the 8th Mountain Division from Sharifabad (North Kashmir) commenced preparations even as some of its units started to precede it in moving to Dras. However, in its wake, it left huge voids that took time to fill, almost like Jammu today. Before we could raise and deploy Kilo Force, it was my formation (Victor Force) that took over the Valley.

At this juncture, a major change occurred. A new headquarters called HQ Overall Force Commander was established to take away counter-terrorism responsibility from the overburdened HQ 15 Corps, which concentrated on the LoC in the Valley and Kargil.

In J&K, it's a folly to think one can divide and demarcate such responsibility on a functional basis for perpetuity. Only one authority has to hold charge. My HQ at Avantipur looked after the Valley's dangerously cascading terrorist environment with nine sectors of RR under command (recommended is three), forcing me to spend over two hours every evening to only take reports on the day's events. In a day, I was controlling 11-12 simultaneous firefights.

To up the ante in Kashmir and keep our attention divided, Pakistan employed two strategies. First, it activated the areas vacated by the 8th Mountain Division that Victor Force was plugging with temporary deployments. In Handwara, Lolab and the Nutnas areas, it infiltrated its regular special service group officers with some experienced terrorists, who took no time in getting down to seeking contact with our troops and contesting them. It does sound familiar with what we are witnessing in Jammu.

The second was the commencement of a series of sneak intrusions into army and police camps by suicide attackers, by deception or perimeter entry, ready to fight unto death. An initial paralysis had to be overcome by the typical grit of the army and JK police. Camp and convoy security had to be ramped up, as also protection to minorities and migrant workers who worked on construction projects besides the long winding ammunition convoys that moved to Kargil through our area of responsibility. To its credit, the Victor Force did not witness the destruction of even a single ammunition truck despite 110 Hume pipe crossings in a road stretch.

I can recall situations almost similar to the ones being experienced in Jammu today that are causing so much concern. No doubt it is worrisome, but a recall of the worst times in the Valley will tell you that we have seen much of this and worse. Raking our memory will deliver lessons long forgotten. Nothing new happens in these areas—it's always a revisit of the past.

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THE IMMINENT TRANSITION TO COMPETITIVE FEDERALISM

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THE recent Union Budget indicated a swing in the framework of intergovernmental fiscal relations from cooperative federalism to competitive federalism. The FM announced the significance of competitive federalism to achieve optimum 'total factor productivity' by initiating structural reforms on all the factors of production—land, labour, capital and investment—by urging states to do heavy lifting on these reforms.

This is in addition to the budget's emphasis on capital expenditure—in the sense that high fiscal deficit and debt is closely tied to strengthening capital formation at the Central and state levels, and to reduce the 'output gaps'. This also includes transfers to the states of around ₹1 lakh crore for capital infrastructure investment.

Cooperative federalism primarily works through intergovernmental tax transfers, which is unconditional in nature. In India, the transfer is designed on a scientific formula. The criterions incorporated are population, income distance, area, climate change, demographic transition and tax effort. The transfers happen through the Finance Commission, a constitutional body

Bihar and Andhra Pradesh asked for a special category status based on socio-economic backwardness, propensity to natural calamities and a constrained fiscal space. However, given the available fiscal space, it will be difficult for the government to fulfil their demand. It can also create a bandwagon effect—others including Odisha might strengthen their demand for such a status too. There was a shadow of these concerns in the budget.

How to solve this, given the coalition politics on board? Ideally, the 16th Finance Commission can tackle the issue by increasing the level of tax transfers from the existing 41 percent. According to the subsidiarity principle, the best decisions are taken at the level of government closest to people. As per Schedule 7 of the Constitution, significant functions are assigned at the subnational level, while dynamic taxes are with the Centre. This creates vertical and horizontal imbalances in the intergovernmental fiscal mechanism. Hence, institutions like Finance Commission are constitutionally mandated to look into these imbalances.

Given the tremendous shrinkage in the divisible tax pool due to a disproportionate increase in cess and surcharge, I urge the 16th Finance Commission to increase the magnitude of devolution to approximately 50 percent, as any downward revision can be akin to 'fiscal waterboarding'.

There is debate about efficiency versus equity in the criterions used in intergovernmental fiscal relations. The states that have controlled their populations and materialised economic growth are getting penalised, as significant weightage is given to 'equity' related criterions. The states have increased their bargaining on these counts.

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The budget urges states to raise capex and initiate structural reforms on land, labour, capital and investment. Given this and the smaller divisible tax pool, the Arvind Panagariya-led 16th Finance Commission should increase the level of devolution from 41% to about 50%; lowering it would be akin to 'fiscal waterboarding'

The debt-deficit dynamics

At the state level, the dynamics of debt and deficit has been re-articulated and the fiscal deficit needs to be maintained at 3.5 percent of GDP. Above the 3 percent deficit threshold, extra borrowing is allowed up to 0.5 percent cent if the states engage in power sector reforms. As per Section 4 of the Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management Act, the general government debt cannot be over 60 percent cent of GDP with the states' public debt at 20 percent.

Given the post-pandemic revenue uncertainties and polycrisis in the form of mounting global inflation, energy crisis, climate change, supply-side disruptions, war and other geopolitical uncertainties, the Centre and states have been engaging in 'hidden debt' in the form of off-budget borrowings through public sector entities. India is yet to construct time series data on public sector borrowing requirement to capture these hidden debt components.

The golden fiscal rule is to have zero revenue deficit. In this budget, the revenue deficit has been reduced from 2.5 percent in 2023-24 to 1.8 percent in 2024-25. The high revenue deficit gives the indication that there was no drastic cut in public spending, given that revenue receipts were buoyant.

Towards competitive federalism

Albert Breton, a Canadian economist, has written extensively on competitive federalism. He narrates the importance of 'benchmarking' a jurisdiction or province to incentivise other units to emulate. However, these mechanisms of benchmarking in a competitive federalism framework can be nebulous in an emerging nation like India. Benchmarking a few states with preferential support can also widen the fissures in the already-acrimonious Centre-State relations. The arbitrary fiscal announcements for some states in the budget can only be a second best principle in tackling their expenditure needs. It is beyond the purview of the budget to address the expenditure needs of states and tax transfer devolution.

The political economy of Budget 2024-25 is compelling. A re-articulation of fiscal rules in terms of threshold ratios is crucial to keep the fiscal policy accommodative, given the constraints of the Reserve Bank in the growth recovery process.

As states are urged to do the heavy lifting in terms of capex on infrastructure and strengthening all factors of production, unconditional fiscal transfers can best support the states' fiscal space. Conditional support through line ministries in the form of centrally-sponsored schemes can affect the fiscal autonomy of the states and the flexibility of finances at the subnational level of government. So any transition in intergovernmental fiscal transfers towards more unconditional transfers through an objective formula would be welcome.

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Skilling scheme

Ref: *Good start on job creation but more steps are needed* (Jul 29). It is a good initiative to start an apprenticeship scheme in private and public enterprises. It's true that many engineers who pass out of engineering colleges do not have the right aptitude for the profession. By introducing such internships, students will get exposure to industries and have a feel of the field before they get absorbed as permanent employees.
Sreenivasan Raman, Bengaluru

Number pressure

The incentive scheme to provide jobs has too many holes. Even a top corporate firm may have around 5,000 women. Now for the sake of accommodating 2,000 apprentices, the firm may have to retrench 2,000 experienced workers.
A G Rajmohan, Anantapur

Iconic Bhaker

Ref: *Karma, Bhagavad Gita and the legend of Manu Bhaker* (Jul 29). The bronze medal secured by ace shooter Manu Bhaker has provided the perfect start for India's quest to glory at the Paris Olympic Games. Manu has become the first Indian woman shooter to have secured a medal at the Olympics, which makes the victory even sweeter. Manu has emerged as the new role model for the youth.
B Suresh Kumar, Coimbatore

Nixing middlemen

Ref: *Reclaiming God's name to protect against fake teachers* (Jul 29). The writer has succinctly cited several instances in our puranas on how god's name alone can protect us. The article explains why we do not need middlemen to reach god.
Sanath Kumar T S, Thrissur

Lanka's win

Ref: *Historic Asia Cup win for SL women* (Jul 29). History was created in Dambulla International Stadium as Sri Lanka defeated a deflated India in the Women's Asia Cup final. It was a scintillating batting display from skipper Chamari and Harshitha. It was a deserving win given they toiled for it. It was a disappointing performance from the Indian women as their fielding was quite sloppy and catching very poor.
Dileep D Anand, Karuvatta

Fiesty Didi

West Bengal CM Mamata Banerjee has made a name for herself for being a difficult person to deal with. She had always been at loggerheads with the former governor. Her relationship with the incumbent one is not any more laudable. She is not on the same page with the INDI Alliance either. At the same time, she often crosses swords with the Centre.
A Kasu, Nemmara

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POSTS OF THE DAY

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The conservation of tigers & their natural habitats is key to ensure a healthy, diverse & balanced ecosystem. India is at the forefront of tiger conservation & showing the world the way to do it.

Yogendra Yadav @_YogendraYadav
The 2024 election was not truly an election, but a plebiscite. It was not about the BJP, but about the supreme leader seeking unconditional approval for his regime.

Sanjay Jha @JhaSanjay
Of the 6 in Rahul Gandhi's 'Chakravyuh', who is the one really runs the show, you think? Clue: It is not the politicians.

'Privatisation not the sole focus of govt'

PSUs, as listed firms, need to consider market expectations & interest of other shareholders, says DIPAM secretary

PRIVATISATION of PSUs is taking a back seat as the government delinks disinvestment with the fiscal management process. Secretary, Department of Investment and Public Asset Management, **Tuhin Kanta Pandey** speaks with **Dipak Mondal** and **Monika Yadav**, giving more clarity on the government stand on privatisation. **Excerpts:**

Is the government having a rethink on privatisation?
There is no rethink on privatisation. There are ongoing transactions. But what we have changed is we are no longer treating disinvestment as a fiscal tool, where you're using disinvestment proceeds as fiscal resources. Disinvestment is only one of the sources for fiscal resource mobilisation. There are others like dividends (from CPSEs) and asset monetisation (some of which comes to the consolidated fund).

So, what we are trying, even resource-wise, is not really to just focus on disinvestment. Disinvestment actually is a strategy that is subsumed into public asset management. And the public asset management should not be driven only by disinvestment. A large number of public sector companies are listed entities and they have to move with the market, market expectation and keep in mind the interest of other shareholders, apart from the government. So, disinvestment alone cannot be a strategy. We have to keep in mind the capex and growth needs of these firms from other shareholders' viewpoint.

So, privatisation is not off the table?
Yes, it is not off the table, but it is not our single-minded focus as privatisation is essentially a slow process. Whenever you have a change in management control, you have to go through a strategic disinvestment process — there has to be bidding, there will be other obstacles. Our experience also shows it is not a very straightforward process. Every investment will have its own peculiarities. So, privatisation is not a primary thing for us now.

So, what is the status of privatisation of banks and non-life insurance firms?
I think that has been clarified by us on several occasions earlier as well. Though it is the Department of Financial Services that has to ultimately propel the process, I don't think they are likely in the near future because even legislations have not been finalised.

So, which are the PSUs that are currently undergoing the disinvestment process?
At the moment, our focus is on some of the EoIs that are already in the pipeline, like IDBI (Bank), SCI (Shipping Corporation of India) and BEML. Wherever there is already a progress, our focus will be to try and take them to a logical culmination.

What is the status on CONCOR disinvestment?
We haven't even launched the EoI, it doesn't look likely in near future. BPCL is another firm that keeps coming up.

On BPCL, we did go through the first iteration, which didn't succeed. I think the petroleum minister Hardeep Singh Puri has also made an announcement thereafter. (Puri has said BPCL is no longer going for privatisation).

This year, the government has budgeted for ₹50,000 crore proceeds from disinvestment. Does it take into account the disinvestment of IDBI Bank?
The figure ₹50,000 crore is a miscellaneous (non-debt) capital and isn't purely disinvestment. It contains receipts from asset monetisation to the extent they come to the consolidated fund.

RBI recently submitted the fit and proper report for IDBI Bank. What next?
Now, the due diligence process by the bidders will take place. There are two types of due diligence — one on the bidders, and that process is over. Now bidders will do their due diligence on the bank. The bidders will be taken to the virtual data room, where they would have a granular look of the documents and other things, which are not public. These bidders will be signing a nondisclosure undertaking. We will give the bidders access to virtual data room in early August. After that, the financial bids will take place.

So, there is more than one bidder?
There were always more than one (bidder). You don't do it with one just bidder.

When can we see further divestment in LIC?
LIC has two intermediate dates. One is reaching 25% public shareholding in 10-year period. And another is 10% in five years. So, within that timeline, we will have the opportunities to offload some shares. But when or how it is done are something we don't discuss.

Last time you had said that the next round of PSU IPOs will come from the renewable arms of government-owned power companies. Are there any in the pipeline?
NTPC Green IPO will happen in the current fiscal.

Is there any timeline for exit from HZL and ITC?
No, there is no timeline except that in HZL, we are looking for it to launch some of the tranches. Many things have happened between the government (which holds 29.54%) and the promoter (Vedanta Ltd) in the past, which led to not so palatable things for the market. But hopefully, we can move forward now. On ITC, we have no plans to exit. No plans at all.

BJP attacks Rahul, asks him to keep decorum of House

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ New Delhi

BJP leaders who are in the Modi cabinet went ballistic against Rahul Gandhi for his speech in the Lok Sabha on Monday. Union parliamentary affairs minister Kiren Rijiju retorted strongly on the floor of the House, saying "no body is above law and the rules of Indian parliamentary procedures have to be followed by all."

"I advise Rahul Gandhi ji to read the rules, and also respect the conventions. No one is above the rules," Rijiju said.

"The Speaker is the custodian of the House. But Rahul continued with his attack in the House. He must know that representatives of 140 crore people sit inside Parliament. He will have to work and speak as per the rules of the House because he is now the LoP," Rijiju asserted.

Railway minister Ashwini Vaishnaw also came down heavily on Rahul. "The language used and behaviour shown in the House questioning the Constitutional post of the Speaker, is nothing but an action that undermines democracy and the Constitution," said Vaishnaw.

"Rahul has a history; he was the one who tore down the copy of an ordinance issued by his own party government. How can he follow the rules of the Constitution", he asked.

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Kiren Rijiju, Parliamentary Affairs Minister

BJP national media in-charge and LS MP Anil Baluni also slammed the Congress leader. "He spoke many things contrary to the dignity of the post he hold and the rules of Parliament," said Baluni.

He added that Rahul raised a question about the LS speaker, which was not right as per the rules of the House.

"In his speech, he did not say anything about the Budget. Maybe he did not read the Budget proposals," said Baluni.

Restriction on media in House sparks protest

PREETHA NAIR @ New Delhi

SEVERAL Opposition leaders and journalists' unions on Monday voiced concerns after the government restricted the movement of accredited journalists in Parliament premises.

The issue was taken up by Leader of Opposition in Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi, who requested Speaker Om Birla to remove the restrictions on the media to move around.

"I would request you to allow the media, who have been restricted to a cage, to move out," Gandhi said. However, Birla said that such issues should be discussed in the chamber and not on the floor of the House. Later, Gandhi met journalists in the media enclosure.

On Monday, several journalists were asked to stay in the glass enclosure on the premises and not crowd the main entrance 'Makar Dwar'. Journalists who cover Parliament point out that there is no other way than waiting at the main entrance to interact with MPs. "There is limited access to MPs inside the new Parliament," said a journalist.

Delhi Union of Journalists said it was shocked at the government's move.

"This move denies them access to MPs. Journalists were today forced to hold a silent protest against these restrictions in the premises. This is unprecedented. It must be noted that those who cover Parliament are senior, accredited journalists who have been vetted and given security clearance. Why should their movements be restricted and their access to MPs denied?" it said in a statement

It further pointed out that in recent years, the number of passes issued to journalists wanting to cover Parliament has been sharply cut down. "Several moves have been made in recent years to deny media persons access to government offices and an unofficial ban imposed on government officials to stop them from speaking to journalists," it said.

At the Business Advisory Council meeting, Congress Deputy Leader in Lok Sabha Gaurav Gogoi demanded that the restrictions on media persons in the House imposed since Covid be removed.

Lok Sabha Speaker Om Birla later met with journalists and assured them that issues on restriction of movements would be addressed.

MHA sets up panel to probe coaching centre deaths, seeks report within 30 days

All the floors of the RAU's IAS coaching institute had different owners

M Harsh Vardhan, DCP (Central)

Debate in House

Rajya Sabha on Monday saw heated debates over the drowning of three UPSC aspirants. Education minister Dharmendra Pradhan urged the MPs to refrain from politicising the incident.

MUKESH RANJAN & UJWAL JALALI @ New Delhi

THE Union Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA) on Monday constituted a high-level committee drawing officials from various Central ministries and the Delhi government to probe the deaths of three UPSC aspirants at a coaching centre in Old Rajinder Nagar in the national capital.

The committee will comprise of Additional Secretary in the Ministry of Urban and Housing Affairs, the Principal Secretary (Home) of the Delhi government, Special Commissioner of Police of Delhi Police and Fire Advisor. Joint Secretary (UT) in the MHA will be convener of the panel, officials said.

The committee has been mandated to inquire into the reasons, fix responsibility and suggest measures, while recommending policy changes required, ensuring that such incidents do not reoccur in future, officials said, adding that the panel has been told to submit its report in 30 days.

Three UPSC aspirants were killed after they got trapped in a pool of water that rushed into the basement of a civil service coaching centre following heavy rains on Saturday.

Meanwhile, Delhi Police arrested five more people, including the person who drove a vehicle on the waterlogged road that apparently damaged the gate of the coaching institute.

SC refuses to stay Patna HC order quashing reservation hike to 65%

SUCHITRA K MOHANTY @ New Delhi

THE Supreme Court on Monday refused to stay the Patna High Court's June 20 verdict setting aside the increase in reservation for Backward Classes, Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (SC/STs) from 50% to 65% in admission to educational institutions and government jobs.

While hearing an appeal filed by the Bihar government, which had moved the top court against the high court order, three-judge SC bench led by the CJI DY Chandrachud, refused to stay the HC order. It, however, posted for final hearing of Bihar government's appeal to September. "We will grant leave, will appoint nodal counsels and list the case for final hearing in September," it said.

Although the senior lawyer for Bihar, Shyam Divan, pleaded to the apex court for staying the Patna High Court's verdict, the top court refused.

The Bihar government had, on July 2, moved the apex court challenging the Patna High Court's June 20 verdict. "The Patna HC verdict is contrary to the law laid down by this court," said lawyer Manish Kumar, appearing for Bihar government.

On June 20, a two-judge bench Chief Justice K Vinod Chandran and Justice Harish Kumar, set aside the Bihar Reservation of Vacancies in Posts and Services (for Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes) Amendment Act, 2023 and The Bihar (In admission in Educational Institutions) Reservation (Amendment) Act, 2023.

"These are ultra vires of the Constitution and violative of the equality clause under Articles 14, 15 and 16. The state should introspect on the reservation percentage within the 50 per cent limit, and exclude the 'creamy layer' from the benefits," the HC judges had said.

In its appeal, the Bihar government opposed the pleas in the HC that the quota hike violated the right to equal opportunity for citizens in matters of employment and education.

ALSO IN TOP COURT

SC notice to NCP's Ajit Pawar faction
A two-judge bench on Monday issued notice to the Ajit Pawar group of NCP, after hearing a plea filed by Sharad Pawar faction member Jayant Patil, who sought disqualification of the MLAs who defected from the parent party. It said contentions about the maintainability of the petition will be decided at the final stages of the case.

Bridge collapses: Bihar's reply sought
A detailed response was sought from the Bihar government and the National Highways Authority of India after an SC bench heard a petition seeking direction to the state government and other authorities concerned to conduct highest level of structural audit of all the existing bridges in the state.

Patanjali Ayurved continues to violate SC directions on misleading adverts

KAVITA BAJELI-DATT @ New Delhi

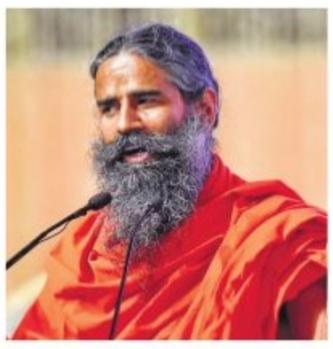
DESPITE a severe reprimand from the Supreme Court for disseminating misleading advertisements for his Ayush products, yoga guru Baba Ramdev's Patanjali Ayurved continues to breach regulations prohibiting the advertisement of certain drugs for treating specific diseases and disorders.

In an affidavit submitted to the Supreme Court on July 9, Patanjali Ayurved assured that all advertisements for 14 Ayurvedic medicines, which had been suspended by the State Licensing Authority in Dehradun, Uttarakhand, would be removed and withdrawn.

However, Patanjali Drishti Eye Drop is still being advertised on social media, particularly on micro-blogging site X.

This ongoing violation contradicts the commitments made by Patanjali Ayurved twice — first in November 2023 and again on July 9, 2024 — Kerala-based RTI activist KV Babu informed this newspaper.

Babu said he filed a complaint on July 12 with the Uttarakhand State Licensing Authority (SLA). "Following my complaint, the SLA directed the drug inspector of Haridwar on July 15 to take action. While some previous advertisements on X have been removed, others remain in the public domain, directly violating the assurance given to the Supreme Court," he said.



Blatant violation

The claim from Patanjali Ayurved's official handle further asserts that the medicine is "helping in treating glaucoma, cataracts, double vision, color vision issues, retinitis pigmentosa, and night blindness." Several doctors have advised against using Patanjali's eye drops on several occasions, improper eye drops for treatable conditions could lead to blindness.

Babu added that he lodged another complaint with the SLA on July 18. Despite this, the problematic advertisement for Drishti Eye Drop, which claims to be a safe Ayurvedic remedy effective for various eye issues, along with Ramdev's promotional video, remains on X.

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Critical equipment acquisition for Army gets nod

MAYANK SINGH @ New Delhi

THE Defence Acquisition Council (DAC) on Monday approved two significant acquisitions after considering various proposals. The Acceptance of Necessity was given to the procurement of Advanced Land Navigation System for Armoured Fighting Vehicles of the Indian Army. The system is spoof-proof with high levels of encryption.

The DAC, the highest decision-making body on issues related to policy and capital procurement for the armed forces, was chaired by defence minister Rajnath Singh.

In the case of Armoured Fighting Vehicles (AFV), the Mark-II will be procured from Bharat Electronics Limited, Chennai, under the Indigenously Designed, Developed and Manufactured category. This, as per the defence ministry, refers to the procurement of products from an Indian vendor that have been designed, developed and manufactured with a minimum of 50% indigenous content on the cost basis of the total contract value.

The Advanced Land Navigation System (ALNS) is compatible with Indian Regional Navigation Satellite System in addition to Global Positioning System and Global Navigation Satellite System. It offers compatibility with defence series maps, resulting in a very high accuracy in navigational applications for AFVs.

In order to enhance the capabilities of the Indian Coast Guard, the DAC accorded AoN for procurement of 22 Interceptor Boats with the latest system capable of quick interception and shallow water operation in territorial waters. These boats will be used for coastal surveillance and patrolling, search and rescue operations, including medical evacuation.

The ALNS is equipment mounted in 'A' vehicles for the purpose of land navigation in featureless terrain. The equipment is used for traversing a path defined by coordinates of a military map. The ALNS guides the commander as well as the driver by dynamically updating the vehicle's present position and the bearing to the selected destination. The basic sensor used in the system is called Inertial Measurement Unit.

The ALNS can be operated in three different modes as per the requirement: Inertial Mode, Hybrid Mode and GPS Mode. The Inertial Mode Systems operates completely on the inertial sensor inputs. In Hybrid Mode, it takes the inputs from inertial sensor as well as GPS receiver and selects the most accurate data for calculations of navigational parameters. The GPS mode system is independent of inertial sensor inputs.

The spoof-proof system creates a robust mechanism that fends off all the attackers, who are trying to spoof the network. The idea consists of a multi-phase modular structure, which will work as a safeguarding mechanism to protect servers from intended attackers.

ADDING LETHALITY

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- Interceptor boats are swift carriers meant for shallow water ops

HEAVY RAIN

Intermittent heavy showers lashed several parts of MP, with Mandsaur receiving the highest rainfall of 165 mm in the last 24 hours on Monday, prompting authorities to partially open some sluice gates of 11 dams.

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Ahmedabad	31	26	Mumbai	29	26
Bhopal	28	24	Panaji	27	25
Jaipur	34	28	Patna	36	30
Amritsar	35	29	Lucknow	34	28
Chennai	34	28	Port Blair	29	26
Kolkata	31	27	Imphal	28	23
Srinagar	27	22	Chandigarh	33	28

● DyCM is said to be the frontrunner to replace Nadda ● Yogi upbeat upon his return from Delhi ● Rethink in former Hurriyat party

PM-Fadnavis meet sparks Maha buzz over top party post

SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI @Mumbai

MAHARASHTRA deputy chief minister Devendra Fadnavis' meeting with Prime Minister Narendra Modi in Delhi on Saturday sparked speculation that Fadnavis may replace BJP chief JP Nadda. Fadnavis is said to be the frontrunner for the post among other contenders.

Nadda has been on extension since the expiry of his term. Sources said the BJP has narrowed its search over a few names for the party chief post. Two names have reportedly emerged from Maharashtra: party general secretary Vinod Tawde and another is Fadnavis.

"Fadnavis' meeting with Modi along with former's spouse and daughter in Delhi gives credence to the impression that the top BJP leadership wants to appoint Fadnavis to a key position of the party," said a source.

"Earlier, there were differences between the RSS and BJP over the names, which delayed the appointment of the national BJP chief. However, a consensus seems to have emerged over Fadnavis. That's why the Fadnavis-Modi meeting is significant," said the source.

Another senior leader said there are two thoughts within the BJP that Fadnavis should be elevated either as the party chief or a minister in Modi's cabinet. "However, RSS is in favour of appointing Fadnavis as the national president so that Fadnavis can play the long role in central politics and is groomed for some time because the BJP government at the centre will work him as a cushion," said the source.

"Fadnavis comes from the RSS headquarters Nagpur. Being a Brahmin by caste and close to PM Modi ensures that all hurdles in his elevations are being removed," said the source.

A senior RSS functionary confirmed the development. He said after Fadnavis' demotion from chief minister to deputy CM and the way the BJP lost in Lok Sabha elections in the state, there is no point keeping him in Maharashtra. "There is a lot of negativity against him among particularly Maratha, Dalit and downtrodden communities. So keeping him at the helm of the party affair will not be a wise decision," said the source.

BJP in UP House puts up united front on day one

Ready for discussion

Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath said his government was ready for a constructive discussion on issues related to people and the state's development during the monsoon session of the legislative assembly. Talking to media persons, Yogi sought the opposition's support for the smooth functioning of the House.

NAMITA BAJPAI @Lucknow

THE confidence level of UP Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath appeared a few notches up after his return from three-day brainstorming in Delhi with the BJP brass. He along with his two deputies — Keshav Maurya and Brajesh Pathak — put up a united face of the party and the state government when they entered the Assembly together on inaugural day of the monsoon session of state legislature on Monday.

A marked change in the body language of the CM is creating a buzz in Lucknow's political circles. A political storm blew post-Lok Sabha debacle in state, then a thaw set in the BJP camp.

As soon as the CM, flanked by both the deputy CMs and other ministers, entered the central hall of the assembly, he was thronged by the ruling party MLAs and Raja Bhaiyya of Jansatta Dal who sought his blessings by touching his feet. Unlike earlier, CM Yogi also visited the leaders of both the treasury benches and opposition to exchange pleasantries. He went to newly-appointed leader of opposition Mata Prasad Pandey of Samajwadi Party, other opposition MLAs including Shivpal Yadav, Ram Achal Rajbhar, Toofani Saroj to greet them.

Though the session started on a fiery note with opposition MLAs thronging the well with placards over a number of issues including law and order, flood, power supply, price rise, the CM convened a meeting of NDA legislature party with both deputy CMs sitting on each of his sides ahead of the session in his secretariat. Besides both the deputy CMs, OP Rajbhar of SBSP, Ashish Patel of Apna Dal (S), Sanjay Nishad of NISHAD party and BJP state unit chief Bhupendra Chaudhury were seen sitting with the CM.

Banned Jamaat returning to poll politics in J&K?

FAYAZ WANI @Srinagar

AFTER its workers and leaders voted in the recent Lok Sabha polls in Jammu and Kashmir, the banned Jamaat-e-Islami, a socio-religious and political organization of J&K, is likely to contest the forthcoming Assembly polls in the Union Territory if the Centre lifts the ban on the organization. The JeI was formerly a part of separatist Hurriyat Conference.

If things go well, then it would be after 35 years that the Jamaat would be returning to mainstream politics in J&K. Several Jamaat leaders have expressed willingness to contest the polls if the ban on the outfit is lifted. Two senior Jamaat leaders – Dr Abdul Hameed Fayaz, the former Jamaat chief, and Faheem Mohammad Ramzan -- on their release from detention have supported the idea of contesting the Assembly polls. "After the imposition of a ban on Jamaat by the government, its activities have come to a halt. Jamaat was working peacefully here.

It has now formed a 5-member panel which has been given powers. "Let us see how it wants to go forward and what decisions it will take. We will support the decision of this panel," Hameed said in a video message. Another released Jamaat leader Faheem Mohammad Ramzan said Jamaat will positively think over contesting polls in J&K.

"Jamaat has contested the elections in the past. It participated in panchayat, local bodies, parliamentary and Assembly polls. On one occasion, Jamaat was the opposition party of the J&K Assembly and our leader was the opposition leader. Contesting polls should not be a new thing for it," he said, adding if required, the Jamaat constitution may be amended.

Jamaat was banned and declared an 'Unlawful Association' by the Centre on February 28, 2019. The ban came a fortnight after a suicide attack on a CRPF convoy at Lethpora, Pulwama in which 40 paramilitary personnel were killed.

After being banned, the government launched a crackdown against the organization. All top and middle-rung leaders and activists were arrested.

DEHRADUN DIARY

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'Eat Right India' drive in govt institutions

The Uttarakhand government is set to launch the 'Eat Right India' campaign in all government educational institutions across the state. The campaign aims to develop a hygienic food system in canteens operating in these institutions. Dr. Dhan Singh Rawat, Uttrakhand's Minister of Medical Health and Medical Education, told this daily, "The state government has been instructed by the Centre to join the 'Eat Right' campaign. He said that all government universities, colleges, medical colleges, residential schools, and DIETs will develop a hygienic food system in their canteens to provide clean food to students.

Yatris throng Haridwar, police face challenge

A massive influx of Kanwar Yatris has flooded Haridwar since Monday evening, posing a significant challenge for the police in managing the crowds. The city's streets and highways are swarmed with two-wheelers and DJ systems, making it difficult for authorities to control the situation. Senior Superintendent of Police Paramendra Dobhal said, police personnel have been deployed to manage traffic and maintain law and order. "We have set up barricades at various points in the city to streamline the flow of devotees," he said. The Kanwar Yatris who have been arriving in large numbers since Saturday.

Garhwal Univ seeks third registrar in two months

In a surprise move, the Hemwati Nandan Bahuguna Garhwal University has appointed its third Registrar in two months, raising concerns among students about the administrative stability of the institution. According to an order issued by the Vice-Chancellor's office, Prof. NS Panwar has been given the charge of acting Registrar, replacing Prof. RK Deodhi. This comes after Prof. Deodhi was appointed to the post just a few days ago. On May 31, Registrar Dheeraj Sharma was relieved of his duties after his one-year tenure was deemed unsatisfactory. Prof Panwar was then given the responsibility of Acting Registrar for a brief period, followed by Deohdi's appointment.

HC sets aside conviction of Afzal Ansari

NAMITA BAJPAI @Lucknow

IN a major relief to Samajwadi Party's Ghazipur MP Afzal Ansari, the Allahabad High Court, on Monday, set aside Ghazipur MP-MLA court order sentencing him for four years jail term in a Gangster Act case comprising the murder of the then BJP MLA Krishnanand Rai in 2005 and Rungta abduction-murder case of 1997.

Following the High Court order, Ansari, the elder brother of former gangster-turned-politician Mukhtar Ansari, will continue as the Lok Sabha MP. Mukhtar Ansari, who died due to cardiac arrest during treatment in Banda Medical College as he was incarcerated in Banda district jail owing to a number of criminal cases against him, on March 28, this year, was also an accused in the same case.

Justice Sanjay Kumar Singh of the Allahabad HC had reserved the judgment on Ansari's appeal on July 4, this year. A special court in Uttar Pradesh's Ghazipur on April 29, 2023 had convicted Afzal Ansari and Mukhtar Ansari, an ex-legislator in the case. It had awarded a 10-year imprisonment to Mukhtar Ansari.

Ban live-in relationship, same-sex marriage, else face stir, demand Khaps

HARPREET BAJWA @Chandigarh

300 khaps agree

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THE khap leaders of the Hindi heartland states have issued a diktat demanding a ban on live-in relationship, same-sex marriage and making parental consent mandatory in love marriages.

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Binain Khap chief Raghubir Nain said that representatives of around 300 khaps from Haryana, Punjab, Uttar Pradesh, Rajasthan, Gujarat and Madhya Pradesh held a meeting on Sunday and passed the resolutions. He added that if their demands are not met then they will launch an agitation.

"We request the government to ban live-in relationships as we have noticed that many men and women are staying in live-in relationships which is a dangerous trend. Their children have to suffer due to their parents' misdeeds," he said. Also, the same-sex marriages should be banned as even the animals avoid this.

He said they are not against love marriages, provided the parents give their consent. "Also no marriage should take place in the same village and neighbouring village besides the same gotra (sub-clan). We want to amend the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955 and keep 18 years as the legal age of marriage for girls. We will have a talk with the government in this regard," he added. A 51-member-committee headed by Nain has been formed to hold talks with the Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Leader of Opposition Rahul Gandhi and pressurise them to amend the laws.

Transfer of forest land title to 'deprived' legal heir soon

EJAZ KAISER @Raipur

THE Chhattisgarh govt has devised an action plan for transferring land ownership for thousands of tribals and forest dwellers living as "dispossessed" descendants after the death of their forefathers or parents, who were allotted individual title deeds.

First time in the country, an initiative is being taken when the procedures have been formulated and notified in the official gazette on how the descendants can conveniently acquire the forest land ownership, the officials said.

The measure will enable thousands of needy tribal families to access benefits of various government welfare schemes.

Section 4(1) of Forest Rights Act (FRA) mentions that land ownership in case of death will be transferred but there was no provision in the FRA rules regarding the process of transfer of name or demarcation of occupied forest land to lawful heir in case of death of individual forest rights holder.

A decision was taken by the Vishnu Deo Sai government to safeguard the interest of the deserving beneficiaries. "Under the leadership of CM Vishnu Deo Sai and tribal development minister Ram Vichar Netam, a comprehensive line of action has been chalked out to adopt practices on changing names of forest land ownership, demarcation, division and correction of errors.

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The ST-SC welfare department is a nodal agency that is coordinating with the departments of revenue and forest", Sonmoni Borah, principal secretary, ST-SC development department told this newspaper.

According to the new stipulated rules, in the case of death of person holding forest land deed under individual occupation for habitation or self-cultivation, the application can be moved by a descendant to range officer of forest department and tehsildar giving declaration, death certificate, Aadhaar card, contact number for review verification as necessary action to modify the entry on FR entitlements.

There are thousands of tribals who were deprived of forest land ownership of their departed forebears for want of effective norms or guidelines in the FRA.

The government has kept the procedure simple and one can apply with a self attested application without any need of notarised stamp papers.

Raining gulab jamuns on donkeys for divine aid!

ANURAAG SINGH @Bhopal

MOVE over Bollywood, donkeys are now the new stars of Madhya Pradesh! These humble beasts have trotted into the spotlight, thanks to a series of whimsical rituals and a high-stakes search that's got everyone braying with laughter.

In Mandsaur district, locals, facing a dearth of rainfall, decided to go all out with their rain-appeasing strategy. They got donkeys to plough the cremation ground with half-naked men leading them—a sight that surely left anyone who witnessed it both mystified and amused. After the ritual, Sohan Singh Bhadauria and his team threw a lavish thank-you party for the donkeys, complete with gulab jamun. One can only guess what the donkeys thought of this unexpected gourmet experience. "Are we getting paid in sweets now?" they might have wondered.

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Meanwhile, Burhanpur has turned into a full-blown detective drama. The local police are on a mission to track down over 12 missing donkeys, whose owners are in a state of distress. "We've found the offspring, but the adults are nowhere to be seen. It's like they've gone on a spontaneous vacation," lamented one frantic owner.

Burhanpur Kotwali incharge Sitaram Solanki weighed in on the donkey drama, noting that these animals might have simply gone off to seek refuge from the rain and pesky flies. "We're scouring every inch of the town and poring over CCTV footage, hoping to catch a glimpse of our elusive donkeys. If they're out there having a party, we want to be invited!"

So, while the rain gods may be having a laugh at the expense of Madhya Pradesh's best-laid plans, the people of the state are getting their daily dose of entertainment. If you spot a donkey in a wedding dress or a police car overflowing with sweets, you'll know exactly where the action is.

Himanta orders all-veg fare, seeks to keep govt events 'simple & solemn'

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Guwahati

ASSAM Chief Minister Himanta Biswa Sarma on Monday directed the district commissioners (DCs) in the state to keep government functions simple and solemn.

He further directed them that only vegetarian food must be served at all government functions or whenever there is a visit of the chief minister or ministers to a district.

"In case of the chief minister's visit to a district, the cavalcade should not consist of more than 10 cars, including that of the DC and the SP," he said at a conference with the DCs in Guwahati.

Last month, a DC had invited Sarma's wrath by arranging a grand lunch for the ministers who were attending a meeting of the state Cabinet.

Later, the CM reprimanded the DC through a letter. He said

despite repeated instructions to arrange simple vegetarian meal during the Cabinet meeting, the DC did not follow the instruction and elaborate arrangements were made for serving lunch "with too many items".

Meanwhile, Sarma asked the DCs to transform the districts as fulcrum of administration to ensure convenient disbursal of benefits. He said a core team would be constituted at the state-level to support the DCs to delegate works to the sub-districts.

"DCs should give more emphasis on the areas and sectors that their respective districts are rich in so that each district can contribute to the growth of the state," the CM said.

He asked them to visit and supervise the construction of government buildings under construction in their respective jurisdictions and actively involve themselves in the development processes of the district.

"DCs should expedite work on health, education and Anganwadi centres as they hold immense potential for development. They should visit residences of achievers in their district," Sarma further directed.

LOST

I, Sri SADANAND K G S/o Late Jayappa K G residing at # 53, SLS Spencer, Agara Horamavu Main Road, near Horamavu Agara Lake, Horamavu, Bangalore-560113 have lost Khata certificate letter reference No.ಬಿಡಿಎ/ಕಂಜ/ಎ/83/12-13 Dated 08-02-2013 of house at the above mentioned address, if any one finds please call me: 9902670333 or hand over to the nearest Police Station.

Bangalore
Dated: 29-07-2024

IN THE COURT OF THE PRL. CIVIL JUDGE AND J.M.F.C AT NELAMANGALA

C.Mis. No. 191/2024

Petitioner: Thimmegowda, S/o Late Gangaiah, Aged about 45 years, R/at Thonachinakuppe Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District.

-V/s-

Respondent: The Tahsildar, Registrar Birth & Death, Nelamangala Taluk, Nelamangala.

NOTICE

Whereas the petitioner has filed the above petition against the respondent to obtain the death certificate i.e., petitioner's mother by name **Huchamma** W/o Late Gangaiah who was died on 09-02-2000 petitioner's residence at Thonachinakuppe village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk. If there are any other legal heirs are there, they may hereby summoned to appear in the above court in person or by pleador on **09.08.2024** at **11.00 a.m** to answer to the same, failing which the petition will be disposed off ex-parte.

Given under my hand and seal of the court on this 24th July 2024.

By order of the Court, Sheristedar, Civil Judge & JMFC, Nelamangala

Advocate for Petitioner: **H.B. ARUN GOWDA**
No. 66/B, 1st Main, 1st Cross, Manuthinagara, Vajarahalli, Nelamangala - 562 123. M: 8088169978

IN THE COURT OF THE LXXV ADDL. CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE, CCH 76, AT BANGALORE

O.S.NO.968 of 2020

Between:
Bank of Baroda,
Kengeri Branch, No.7 & 8, Devaraj Arash Layout, Kengeri Main Road, Nagadevanahalli
Bangalore-560056 ...Plaintiff
And:
M/s. Sri Vinaya Mahila Swa Sahaya Sangha and others
...Defendants

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANTS NO 1 TO 12 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

1. M/s. Sri Vinaya Mahila Swa Sahaya Sangha, Represented by the its President, No. 180/4, 1st Cross, Laggere, Bangalore-560058.

2. M/s. Suprabha Educational and Charitable Trust® Represented by its Managing Trustees: Ms.Prathima No.189, 5th Cross, Chowdeshwari Nagar, Laggere, Bengaluru - 560058

3. Smt. Geetha, Aged about 33 years, No. E-180/4, 2nd Cross, Laggere, Bangalore - 560058.

4. Smt. Vinaya, No. 222, 1st Main Road, Muneshwara Layout, Laggere, Bangalore - 560058.

5. Smt. Nalina, Aged about 28 years, No. 07, 2nd Main Road, Muneshwara Layout, Laggere Bangalore - 560058.

6. Smt. Jayamma, Aged about 42 years, No. 545, 2nd Cross, 2nd Main Road, Muneshwara Layout, Laggere, Bangalore-560058.

7. Smt. Rajeshwari. R, Aged about 56 years, No. 149, Leggere, Bangalore- 560058.

8. Smt. Kaveramma, Aged about 47 years, New No. 25/26, Old No. 180/4, 2nd Main Road, Rajeevgandhi Nagar, Laggere, Bangalore - 560058.

9. Smt. Jyothi. B.K, Aged about 32 years, No. 7, 12th Cross, A. D. Halli, Rajajinagar, Bangalore - 560079.

10.Smt. Geetha.V, Aged about 29 years, No. E-9/1, Muneshwara Layout, 8th & 9th Cross, Bangalore - 560058.

11.Smt. Shobha Rani, Aged about 50 years, No. 47, G Floor, 2nd House, 1st Cross, Muneshwara Badavane, Laggere, Bangalore-560058. Ph No. 9901021894.

12. Smt. Saritha. K, No. E 118/2, Muneshwara Block, Laggere, Peenya Small Industrial Area, Bangalore-560058.

WHEREAS, the above-named Plaintiff has filed the above suit seeking recovery of money of **Rs. 2,79,265/-** With interest at the rate of **9.55% P.A** due to the Plaintiff Bank. The Defendants above named are hereby warned to appear in this court in person or by pleader duly instructed on the **2nd September 2024, at 11.00 a.m** to answer the questions to the same, failing wherein the matter will be heard and determined exparte.

Given under my hand and Seal of the court, this day of **26th July 2024.**

By order of the Court
Senior Sheristedar
City Civil Court, Bengaluru

Advocate Address:
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Advocate, No. 16, Ground Floor,
1st Cross Road, Near Dhanvantari Vana, Jnanabharathi, Mariyappanpalya, Bangalore 560056

IN THE COURT OF THE LXXV ADDL. CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE, CCH-76, AT BANGALORE

O.S.No. 976 of 2020

BETWEEN
BANK OF BARODA
Kengeri Branch,
No.7 & 8, Devaraj Arash layout,
Kengeri main Road, Nagadevanahalli,
Bangalore-560056.
...Plaintiff

AND
M/s. Brahma Kamala Mahila Swa Sahaya Sangha and others
...Defendants

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANTS NO 1 TO 14 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

1. M/s. Brahma Kamala Mahila Swa Sahaya Sangha, No. 32 A, 1st Floor, 1st Cross, Balaji Layout, Bangalore-560056.

2. M/s. Suprabha Educational and Charitable Trust® Represented by its Managing Trustees: Ms.Prathima No.189, 5th Cross, Chowdeshwari Nagar, Laggere, Bengaluru-560058.

3. Smt. Anuradha. Y. P., No.32 A, 1st Cross, Balaji Layout, Mallathahalli, Bangalore-560086.

4. Smt. Prema Leela, No.18, Shivananda, Mallathahalli, Bangalore-560056.

5. Smt. Praiktha Ganesh Bhuved, No. 05, Vallabha Nagar, Bangalore - 560061.

6. Smt. Anisha, No.21, Vallabha Nagar, Uttarahalli, Bangalore-560061.

7. Smt. Amulu. S, No.05, Vallabha Nagar, Uttarahalli, Bangalore-560061.

8. Smt. Channamma, No.32, 15th Cross, Balaji Layout, Mallathahalli, Bangalore-560056.

9. Smt. Jagadamba, No.849, Ragigudda Slum, Bangalore South, Bangalore-560078.

10. Smt. Gayithri Devi, No.08, 13th Main, 3rd Cross, Mathikere (EXT), Bangalore-560054.

11.Smt. Aruna, No.122, Janatha Colony, Mariyappanapalya, Bangalore-560056.

12.Smt. Shantha, No.32 A, 15th Cross, Balaji Layout, Mallathahalli, Bangalore-560056.

13.Smt. Sarvamangala, No.60, Boaregowda Layout, Muddinapalya, Bangalore - 560091.

14.Smt. Ramya, No.30/B, 2nd Main, Mysore Road, Byatarayanapura, Bangalore-560026.

Whereas the above-named plaintiff has filed the above suit seeking recovery of money of **Rs.3,25,297/- with interest at the rate of 9.55% P.A due to the** Plaintiff Bank. The Defendants above named are hereby warned to appear in this court in person or by pleader duly instructed on the **2nd September 2024, at 11.00 a.m** to answer the questions to the same, failing wherein the matter will be heard and determined exparte.

Given under my hand and Seal of the Court, this day of **26th day of July, 2024.**

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City Civil Court
Bangalore

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PUBLIC NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE THAT our client R.Saraswathi W/o K.R. Nagabhooshan presently Residing at 207/2, Near Obala Reddy Home, Hodi Mahadevapura, Bengaluru-560048, She is intending to purchase the Site No.49, BBMP Khatha No.28/2/49, Property No.28/2, measuring East to West 30 Feet and North to South 16 Feet, in all measuring 480 Square Feet, along with house, situated at Kodigehalli Village, Krishnarajapura Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, presently within the limits of BBMP along with all rights, appurtenances, whatsoever underneath or above the surface, purchasing from **Mr. C.B. Venkatesh,** and bounded on ;

East by : Site No.48, West by : Site No.50, North by : Site No.42, South by : Road.

Mr. C.B. Venkatesh had acquired the same through a Sale deed dated 03.04.2013 Vide KRI-1-00094/2013-14 dated 03.04.2013 from **Mr. D.A. Sathyaprakash.**

Any person / firm / institution / company having any claim or right in respect of the Said Property and also in larger extent of the property by way of inheritance, sale, agreement, mortgage, lease, lien, license, gift, possession, legal heirs, partners or encumbrance howsoever or otherwise is hereby required to intimate in writing to the undersigned within Fifteen (15) days from the date of publication of this notice of his/her/their share or claim, if any, with all supporting documents failing which the transaction shall be completed without reference to such claim and the claims, if any, of such person shall be treated as waived and not binding on our clients.

RBK legal, Advocates & Solicitors
FFD VI, 4th Floor, Sampoorna Chambers
Vasavi Temple Road, Bengaluru-560004.
Ph No. 080-42053588 / 42296969

IN THE COURT OF THE XXXIII ADDL. CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE COURT AT BENGALURU

CC. NO. 51303/2016

BETWEEN : Radio One Limited, Unit 701 A, 7th Floor, Tower 2, Indiabulls Finance Centre, Senapathi Bapat Marg, Elphinstone Road, Mumbai - 400 013, Maharashtra. **...Complainant**

AND

1. Bangalore Management Academy & Others, No. 17, Ashirwad Tower, Near K. R. Puram, Railway Station, Doddanekkundi Cross, Mahadevapura Outer Ring Road, Marathalli, Bengaluru - 560 037.

2. Mr. Robinson Roberts Donison, M/s. Bangalore Management AcademyPvt. Ltd., No. 17, Ashirwad Tower, Near K. R. Puram, Railway Station, Doddanekkundi Cross, Mahadevapura Outer Ring Road, Marathalli, Bengaluru - 560 037. **...Accused**

Whereas the Hon'ble XXXIII Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Mayohall, Bangalore was pleased to issue proclamation by way of paper publication as hereunder upon an application filed before it in the above case as hereunder.

PROCLAMATION REQUIRING THE APPEARANCE OF ACCUSED No.1 AND 2

Whereas a complaint has been made before this court that **Bangalore Management Academy,** having its Registered Office at No. 17, Ashiwrad tower, near K. R. Puram, Railway Station, Doddanekkundi Cross, Mahadevapura Outer Ring Road, Marathalli, Bengaluru - 560 037 and one of its Direcdtors Mr. Robinson Roberts Donison, M/s. Bangalore Management Academy Pvt., Ltd., No. 17, Ashiwrad tower, near K. R. Puram, Railway Station, Doddanekkundi Cross, Mahadevapura Outer Ring Road, Marathalli, Bengaluru - 560 037 has committed (or is suspected to have committed) the offences punishable under section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 and it has been returned to a warrant of arrest thereupon issued at the said Bangalore Management Academy and Mr. Robinson Roberts Donison Absconded (or is canceling himself to avoid the service of thesaid warrant) proclamation is hereby made that the said mr. Robinson Roberts Donison is required to appear before the XXXIII Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate Court at Mayohall, Bangalore to answer the said complaint on **31.07.2024.**

Advocate for Complainant Signature
Sunayana Basu Mallik, Advocate,
King Stubb & Kasiva, 1A, Lavelle Mansion, 1/2, Lavelle Road, Ashok nagar, Bengaluru, Karnataka - 560 001.

IN THE COURT OF THE LXXV ADDL. CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE, CCH-76, AT BANGALORE

O.S.NO.971 of 2020

BETWEEN :
BANK OF BARODA, Kengeri Branch, Devaraj Arash layout, No.7 & 8 Kengeri Main Road, Nagadevanahalli, Banglore-560056.
...Plaintiff

AND
M/s. Ravikirana Mahila Swa Sahaya Sangha and others ...Defendants

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANTS NO 1 TO 14 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

1. M/s. Ravikirana Mahila Swa Sahaya Sangha, Represented by its President No.251, Kerekallu, Kamakshipalya, Bangalore-560079.

2. M/s. Suprabha Educational and Charitable Trust® Represented by its Managing Trustees: Ms.Prathima No.189, 5th Cross, Chowdeshwari Nagar, Laggere, Bengaluru-560058.

3. Smt. Narasamma, No.251, Kerekallu, Kamakshipalya, Bangalore-560079.

4. Smt. Parvathi, No.130, Kerekallu, Kamakshipalya, Bangalore-560079.

5. Smt. Sukanya, No. 11, 1st Main Road, 6th Cross, Kerekallu, Bangalore - 560079.

6. Smt. Jyothi, No. 04, Kerekallu, 1st Main Road, Kamakshipalya, Bangalore-560079.

7. Smt.Yashoda, No.130, Kerekallu, Kamakshipalya 2nd Cross, Bangalore-560079.

8. Smt. Jyothi, W/o Partha, No.1568, 1st Main Road, Kamalanagar, Bangalore- 560079.

9. Smt. Jayamma, No.41, 1st Main Road, 10th Cross, Kamalanagar, Bangalore-560079.

10. Smt. Prema, No.04, 1st Main Road, 2nd Cross, Kerekallu, Kamakshipalya, Bangalore-560079.

11. Smt.Bindu, No.105,1st Main, Opp. Sharanya Apartment, Karekallu, Kamakshipalya, Bangalore-79.

12. Smt.Bhagya, No.35/5,1st Main Road, Kamakshipalya, Bangalore-79.

13. Smt.Gangalakshmi, No.211,1st Cross, Karekallu, Kamakshipalya, Bangalore-79.

14. Smt.Chandrakala, No.126A, 4th Main Road, Kamakshipalya, Bangalore.

...Defendants

WHEREAS, the above-named Plaintiff has filed the above suit seeking recovery of money of **Rs.2.33,980/-** With interest at the rate of 9.55% P.A due to the Plaintiff Bank. The Defendants above named are hereby warned to appear in this court in person or by pleader duly instructed on the **2nd September 2024, at 11.00 a.m** to answer the questions to the same, failing wherein the matter will be heard and determined exparte.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court, this day of **26th July, 2024.**

By Order of the Court
Senior Sheristedar
City Civil Court, Bengaluru

Advocate Address:
Srinivasa.S,
Advocate, No.16, Ground Floor,
1st Cross Road, Near Dhanvantari Vana, Jnanabharathi, Mariyappanpalya, Bangalore-560056.

IN THE COURT OF THE LXXV ADDL. CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE, CCH-76, AT BANGALORE

O.S. No. 963/2020

Between:
Bank of Baroda, Kengeri Branch,
Devaraj Arash layout No.7&8 Kengerei Main Road, Nagadevanahalli Banglore-560056
...Plaintiff

And:
M/s. Shwethambari Mahila Swa Sahaya Sangha and others ...Defendants

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANTS NO 1 TO 14 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

1. M/s. Shwethambari Mahila Swa Sahaya Sangha, No.09, Shivu Layout, Mariyappana Palya, Bangalore-560056.

2. M/s. Suprabha Educational and Charitable Trust ® Represented by its Managing Trustees: Ms.Prathima No.189, 5th Cross, Chowdeshwari Nagar, Laggere, Bengaluru - 560058

3. Smt. Madevi, No. 09, Shivu Layout, Mariyappana Palya, Bangalore-560056.

4. Smt. Pallavi, No. 29, Magadi Main Road, Kadabagere, Bangalore.

5. Smt. Sowbhagya, No. 01, 2nd Main, Vijayalakshmi Layout, Dasarahalli, Bangalore.

6. Smt. Lakshmamma, No. 161, Ashwath Katte, Behind Maramma Temple, Kadabagere, Bangalore.

7. Smt. Manjula, No. 130, Near Aralimara, Kadabagere, Bangalore.

8. Smt. Shantha, No. 108, Ashwath Katte, Kadabagere, Bangalore.

9. Smt. Rathnamma, No. 89, Kadabagere, Bangalore.

10.Smt. Yashodamma, No.104, Near Kempamma Temple, Kadabagere, Bangalore.

11. Smt. Narsamma, No. 95, Kadabagere, Bangalore.

12. Smt. Bhagyamma, Colony, Kadabagere, Bangalore.

13. Smt. Sunandamma. K, No.221, Kadabagere, Bangalore.

14. Smt. Geetha, No.115, Honnasandra, Marathahalli, Nelamangala, Bangalore Rural.

...Defendants

WHEREAS, the above-named Plaintiff has filed the above suit seeking recovery of money of **Rs. 2,29,091** With interest at the rate of **9.55% P.A** due to the Plaintiff Bank. The Defendants above named are hereby warned to appear in this court in person or by pleader duly instructed on the **2nd September 2024, at 11.00 a.m** to answer the questions to the same, failing wherein the matter will be heard and determined exparte.

Given under my hand and seal of this Court, the **26th day of July, 2024.**

By Order of the Court
Senior Sheristedar
City Civil Court, Bengaluru

Srinivasa.S, Advocate,
No. 16, Ground Floor, 1st Cross Road, Near Dhanvantari Vana, Jnanabharathi, Mariyappanpalya, Bangalore 560056

IN THE COURT OF THE LXXV ADDL. CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE, CCH 76, AT BANGALORE

O.S.NO.965 of 2020

Between:
Bank of Baroda,
Kengeri Branch, No.7 & 8, Devaraj Arash Layout, Kengeri Main Road, Nagadevanahalli, Bangalore-560056
...Plaintiff

And:
M/s. Shri Bhuvaneshwari Mahila Swa Sahaya Sangha and others
...Defendants

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANTS NO 1 TO 12 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

1. M/s. Shri Bhuvaneshwari Mahila Swa Sahaya Sangha, Represented by its President No. 88, Gollahalli, Anjanapura, Bangalore-560062.

2. M/s. Suprabha Educational and Charitable Trust® Represented by its Managing Trustees: Ms.Prathima No.189, 5th Cross, Chowdeshwari Nagar, Laggere, Bengaluru - 560058

3. Smt. Jyothi, W/o Krishnappa No. 88, Gollahalli, Anjanapura, Bangalore - 560062.

4. Smt. Uma, W/o Shivanna, No. 04, Anjanaapura Gollahalli, Bangalore - 560062

5. Smt. Shanthamma, W/o Thimmayya, No. 689, Gollahalli, Anjanaapura, Bangalore-560062.

6. Smt. Pushpa, W/o Vijayakumar, No. 08, Anjanaapura, Bangalore-560062.

7. Smt. Manjula, W/o Munikrishna, No. 379, Gollahalli, Bangalore-560108.

8. Smt. Shwetha, W/o Motappa, No. 63, Gollahalli, Anjanaapura, Bangalore-560062.

9. Smt. Renuka, W/o Krishnappa, No. 301, Gollahalli, Anjanaapura, Bangalore-560062.

10.Smt. Saroja, W/o Dasappa, No. 262, Aalahalli, Bangalore -560062.

11. Smt. Mahadevi, W/o Krishna, No. 10, Gollahalli, Bangalore-560108.

12. Smt. Narayanamma W/o Venkateshappa, No. 828, Anjanaapura, Aalahalli, Bangalore - 560062.

WHEREAS, the above-named Plaintiff has filed the above suit seeking recovery of money of **Rs. 2.66,452/-** With interest at the rate of **9.55% P.A** due to the Plaintiff Bank. The Defendants above named are hereby warned to appear in this court in person or by pleader duly instructed on the **2nd September 2024, at 11.00 a.m** to answer the questions to the same, failing wherein the matter will be heard and determined exparte.

Given under my hand and Seal of the court, this day of **26th July 2024.**

By order of the Court
Senior Sheristedar
City Civil Court, Bengaluru

Advocate Address:
Srinivasa.S,
Advocate, No. 16, Ground Floor,
1st Cross Road, Near Dhanvantari Vana, Jnanabharathi, Mariyappanpalya, Bangalore 560056

IN THE COURT OF THE LXXV ADDL. CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE, CCH-76, AT BANGALORE

O.S. No. 964/2020

Between:
Bank of Baroda, Kengeri Branch,
Devaraj Arash layout, No.7&8 Kengerei Main Road, Nagadevanahalli, Banglore-560056.
...Plaintiff

And:
M/s. Nimishamabha Mahila Swa Sahaya Sangha and others ...Defendants

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANTS NO 1 TO 12 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

1. M/s. Nimishamabha Mahila Swa Sahaya Sangha, Represented by its President No. 40, J.P.Nagar, Raghavana Playa, 9th Stage, Bangalore - 560062

2. M/s. Suprabha Educational and Charitable Trust ® Represented by its Managing Trustees: Ms.Prathima No.189, 5th Cross, Chowdeshwari Nagar, Laggere, Bengaluru - 560058

3. Smt. Nagarthanamma, W/o. Jagadeesh, No.40, J.P.Nagar, Raghavana Playa, 9th Stage, Bangalore - 560062.

4. Smt. Rani W/o Vellaidorai, No.3A/8, Avalahalli, Anjanapura, Bangalore - 560062.

5. Smt. Gayathri W/o. Babu, No.356, Gollahalli, Bangalore-560062

6. Smt. Veena W/o Somashekar, No.65/2, Gollahalli, Bangalore-560062

7. Smt. Thayamma W/o Nagaraju No. 280, Shetty Halli Gollahalli, Bangalore-560062

8. Smt.Latha Bai No.90-2, Avalahalli Banglore-560058

9. Smt.Suma D/o Appayya, No.12, Raghavana Palya Kothanuru Banglore-560083

10.Smt.Sharadha Devi W/o Muniraju No.06, Muslim Street, Anjanapura, Bangalore-560108

11. Smt. Chennamma W/o. Venkatesha, No.633, Thulasipura Main Road, Gollahalli, Anjanapura, Banglore-560062

12.Smt.Bhagyamma, No.40, J.P.Nagar, Raghavana Playa, 9th Stage, Bangalore - 560062 **...Defendants**

WHEREAS, the above-named Plaintiff has filed the above suit seeking recovery of money of **Rs. 2,34,753/-** With interest at the rate of **9.55% P.A** due to the Plaintiff Bank. The Defendants above named are hereby warned to appear in this court in person or by pleader duly instructed on the **2nd September 2024, at 11.00 a.m** to answer the questions to the same, failing wherein the matter will be heard and determined exparte.

Given under my hand and seal of this Court, the **26th day of July, 2024.**

By Order of the Court
Senior Sheristedar
City Civil Court, Bengaluru

Srinivasa.S, Advocate,
No. 16, Ground Floor, 1st Cross Road, Near Dhanvantari Vana, Jnanabharathi, Mariyappanpalya, Bangalore 560056

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O.A. NO.101/2022

Between: State Bank of India, Electronic City Branch, represented by Chief Manager, Mrs. Jayanthi A. Office at No. 11/90, 3rd Floor, near Old Shivaji Theatre, JC Road, Bangalore - 560 002, Email Id: sbi.05173 @sbi.co.in. PAN No. AAACS8577K, Land Line No. 080-25943663/080-25943677. **...Applicant**

And

Mr. Raghavendra R & Others ...Defendant

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23 (VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES, 1993 TO THE DEFENDANT No. 1 THROUGH PAPER PUBLICATION

To :1. Mr. Raghavendra R. S/o. Sri Ravi, Aged about 40 years, 1320, 11th Cross, 7th Main, Nagapura, Mahalaxmipuram, Bangalore - 560 096.

And Also having address at : **Mr. Raghavendra R.** Flat No. 0-A, Ground Floor, Geo Residency, 4th Cross, Hanumantha rayappa layout, Byrathi Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Kothanur, Bangalore - 560 077.

...Defendant No. 1

1. Whereas, the Applicant has instituted an application under Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institution Act,1993, against defendant for recovery of a sum of Rs.46,18,029.93 (Rupees Forty six lakhs eighteen thousand twenty nine and ninety three Paisa only).

2. The above- mentioned defendant directed to appear before the Tribunal in person or through an advocate or duly authorised agents in support of your defense to show cause within 30 days from the date of publication or on **24.10.2024 at 11.00 AM** as to why the relief prayed for should not be granted.

3. Take notice that all in case of default the application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal **10th day of July 2024 at Bangalore .**

By Order of the Tribunal
Sd/- Registrar,
Debts Recovery Tribunal- II, Bangalore

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Possession Notice (For Immovable Property) Rule 8-(1)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **IIFL Home Finance Limited** (Formerly known as India Infoline Housing Finance Ltd.) (IIFL-HFL) under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, a Demand Notice was issued by the Authorised Officer of the company to the Borrower/Co-Borrowers mentioned herein below to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has **taken possession** of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Rules. The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **IIFL HFL** for an amount as mentioned herein under with interest thereon. "The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, If the borrower clears the dues of the **"IIFL HFL"** together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred, at any time before the date fixed for sale or transfer, the secured assets shall not be sold or transferred by **"IIFL HFL"** and no further step shall be taken by **"IIFL HFL"** for transfer or sale of the secured assets.

Name of the Borrower (s) /Co-Borrower(s)	Description of the Secured Asset (Immovable Property)	Total Outstanding Dues (Rs.)	Date of Demand Notice	Date of Possession
Mr. Aslam Pasha, National Eicher Tractors, Mrs. Shaheena, **(Prospect No. IL10385833)**	All that piece and parcel of Khata No.1954/17, Pid No.19-358-841, Ar Layout, Hosakote Town, Bangalore Rural, Karnataka, India-560067. Area Admeasuring (In Sq.ft.): Property Type: Land_Area, Property Area: 1809.00. Bounded By: North: Road, South: Donger, East: AVR Station Compound, West: Site No. 16.	**Rs.22,82,921/-** (Rupees Twenty Two Lakh Eighty Two Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty One Only)	15-May-2024	26-Jul-2024

For, further details please contact to Authorised Officer at **Branch Office:** "ADAM CHAMBERS," #11, Richmond Road, Bengaluru-560025/ 1st floor Y V S reddy Building Anekal road, Chandapura, Bangalore-560099 or **Corporate Office:** Plot No.98, Phase-IV, Udyog Vihar, Gurgaon, Haryana.

Place: Bangalore Rural, Date: 30-07-2024 **Sd/- Authorised Officer, For IIFL Home Finance Ltd.**

PUBLIC NOTICE

We are investigating the title of Mr. Shekar Poojary S/o Late Mr. Narayana aged about 62 years and Mrs. Pushpalatha W/o Mr. Shekar Poojary aged about 50 years, both residing at No. 14, Sowpamika Nilaya, Surubi Layout, Yelahanka Old Town, Bangalore North, Karnataka 560064, the absolute owners having all the right, title and interest in the following lands:

1. Vacant Residential Site No. 1 in Sy No. 98/5, bearing Khatha No. 912/957/796/98/5/1, measuring East to West 149 Feet and North to South (23+16)/2 Feet totally measuring 2905.5 Square Feet and having acquired the same vide Deed of Absolute Sale dated 03.02.2021 registered as document No. BYP-1-07855-2020-21 and stored in CD No. BYPD795 at the Office of the Sub-Registrar Bytarayanapura which is more particularly described in the Schedule hereunder written and hereinafter referred to as the **"Schedule A Property".**

2. Vacant Residential Site No. 2 in Sy No. 98/5, bearing Khatha No. 912/A/957/796/98/5/2, ,measuring East to West 149 Feet and North to South (23+16)/2 Feet totally measuring 2905.5 Square Feet and having acquired the same vide Deed of Absolute Sale dated 03.02.2021 registered as document No. BYP-1-07855-2020-21 and stored in CD No. BYPD795 at the Office of the Sub-Registrar Bytarayanapura which is more particularly described in the Schedule hereunder written and hereinafter referred to as the **"Schedule B Property".**

3. Vacant Residential Site No. 3 in Sy No. 98/5, with Khatha No. 283/957/796/98/5/3 measuring East to West 150 Feet and North to South (22+18)/2 Feet totally measuring 3000 Sq Ft and having acquired the same vide Sale Deed dated 15.10.2018 registered as document No. YAN-1-06520-2018-19 and stored in CD No. YAND672 at the Office of the Sub-Registrar Yelahanka which is more particularly described in the Schedule hereunder written and hereinafter referred to as the **"Schedule C Property".**

4. Vacant Residential Site No. 4, in Sy No. 98/5, bearing Khatha No. 440/958/798/98/5/4/1 measuring East to West 51.4 + 51.3 / 2 Feet, and North to South 19.9 + 21.2/2 Feet total measuring 1055.2425 Sq Feet and having acquired the same vide Sale Deed dated 07.11.2023 registered as document No. YAN-1-09716-2023-24 at the Office of the Sub-Registrar Yelahanka which is more particularly described in the Schedule hereunder written and hereinafter referred to as the **"Schedule D Property".**

Any person/s, firms, societies, institutions, entity (corporate or otherwise) claiming to have any right, title, interest, benefit, claim or demand in, or to, the Schedule Property and/or any part thereof, by way of sale, exchange, gift, lease, tenancy, license, assignment, mortgage, charge, lien, trust, family arrangement/ settlement, encumbrance, inheritance, bequest, easement, possession, maintenance, development rights, order / decree / judgment of any Court, agreement, understanding or otherwise howsoever, to the Schedule Property, is required to intimate the same, together with true copies of all documentary evidence / proof in support thereof, to the undersigned, at the address given below, within **15 (fifteen) days** from the date of publication of this notice, failing which, our Certificate of Title will be issued without any reference to any such claim and claims, if any, received post the expiry of the aforesaid timeframe shall be considered as waived and/or abandoned.

SCHEDULE A PROPERTY

All the piece and parcel of the residential Vacant Site No. 1 in Sy No. 98/5 with Khatha No. 912/957/796/98/5/1, measuring East to West 149 Feet and North to South (23+16)/2 Feet totally measuring 2905.5 Square Feet bounded by

East by : National Highway
West by : Property belonging to Mr. Sudhakara Reddy Annem
North by : Site No. 2
South by : Private Property

SCHEDULE B PROPERTY

All the piece and parcel of the residential Vacant Site No. 2 in Sy No. 98/5 with Khatha No. 912/A/957/796/98/5/2, measuring East to West 149 Feet and North to South (23+16)/2 Feet totally measuring 2905.5 Square Feet bounded by

East by : National Highway
West by : Property belonging to Mr. Sudhakara Reddy Annem
North by : Property belonging to Mr. Shekar Poojary
South by : Site No. 1

SCHEDULE C PROPERTY

All the piece and parcel of the residential Vacant Site No. 3 in Sy No. 98/5 under BBMP Ward No. 1 with Khatha No. 283/957/796/98/5/3 measuring East to West 150 Feet and North to South (22+18)/2 Feet totally measuring 3000 Sq Ft.

East by : NH Road
West by : Land belonging to Mrs. Lakshmamma W/o Late A. Ramaiah.
North by : Land belonging to Mrs. Muddamma, and others.
South by : Land belonging to Seenappa and Chandranna

SCHEDULE D PROPERTY

All the piece and parcel of the residential Vacant Site No. 4, Khatha No. 440/958/798/98/5/4/1) measuring East to West 51.4 + 51.3 / 2 Feet, and North to South 19.9 + 21.2/2 Feet total measuring 1055.2425 Sq Feet.

East by : Land belonging to Mrs. Shanthamma.
West by : Land belonging to Mrs. Leelavathi.
North by : Land belonging to Mr. Shekar Poojary.
South by : Land belonging to Mr. Shekar Poojary.

Dated: 30.07.2024
Mr. Mrinal Javaji, Advocate
Javaji Legal,
No. 3 and 8, 9th Main, Judicial Layout, Allalasandra
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SALE NOTICE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES - MEGA E-AUCTION - 22.08.2024

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 read with proviso to proviso to Sub Rule (6) of Rule (8) / Sub Rule (1) of Rule 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to public in general and in particular to Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the secured Creditor, the **Constructive Possession** of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer [details mentioned below], will be sold on "**As is Where is**", "**As is What is Basis**" on **22.08.2024** at the below mentioned timings for recovery of due with further interest and cost thereon due to the **Karnataka Bank Ltd.**

**The details are as under:

17 days
After a Cambodian military helicopter went missing, it was spotted crashed on a mountain

GLOBAL WEATHER
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Beijing	27	24	LR	Los Angeles	29	16	SNY
Colombo	30	27	LR	Melbourne	12	2	SNY
Dhaka	33	28	LR	Moscow	21	14	SNY
Dubai	41	35	SNY	New York	29	23	SNY
Houston	33	26	SNY	Singapore	33	28	SNY
Istanbul	30	22	SNY	Toronto	26	21	LR
London	30	18	SNY	Washington	22	16	LR

Maduro declared poll winner, Oppn coalition rejects it

CARACAS

NICOLAS Maduro was declared the winner of Venezuela's presidential election on Sunday but the opposition and key regional neighbours immediately rejected the official results. The opposition coalition itself claimed victory, after an election campaign tainted by accusations of political intimidation and fears of fraud, and following predictions by pollsters that Maduro would lose but was unlikely to concede after more than a decade in power. He won re-election with 51.2% of votes, while opposition candidate Edmundo Gonzalez Urrutia received 44.2%, according to the electoral council (CNE), which in its majority is loyal to the president. Maduro, 61, addressed celebrating supporters at the presidential palace minutes after the announcement.

"I can say, before the people of Venezuela and the world, I am Nicolas Maduro Moros, the re-elected president of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela," he said.

"There will be peace, stability and justice. Peace and respect for the law."

But the opposition coalition insisted it had garnered 70% of the vote, rejecting the CNE figures. "We want to say to all of Venezuela and the world that Venezuela has a new president-elect and it is (candidate) Edmundo Gonzalez Urrutia," opposition leader Maria Corina Machado told journalists, calling the official result "another fraud." Gonzalez Urrutia, a 74-year-old former diplomat, said "our fight continues, and we will not rest until the will of the Venezuelan people is reflected," while underlining there was no call for protests.

"The results are undeniable. The country chose a peaceful change," he wrote on *X* ahead of the official result.

Costa Rican President Rodrigo Chaves denounced the CNE result as "fraudulent," while Chile's president called it "hard to believe."

With 80% of votes tallied, according to the CNE, Colombian Foreign Minister Luis Gilberto Murillo called on Monday for a total count and "independent audit" of ballots.

Peru announced it recalled its ambassador over the results. US Secretary of State Antony Blinken expressed "serious concerns." *AFP*

Lebanon on edge as Israel mulls response

BEIRUT

AIRLINES suspended flights to Lebanon on Monday as diplomatic efforts were underway to contain soaring tensions between Hezbollah and Israel after deadly rocket fire in the annexed Golan Heights.

Mourners gathered in the Golan Heights town of Majdal Shams for the funeral of 11-year-old Guevara Ibrahim, the last of 12 victims – all aged 10 to 16 – of the rocket that hit a football pitch in the Druze Arab community on Saturday.

Israel and the United States have blamed the attack on Lebanon's Iran-backed Hezbollah group, which has traded near-daily fire with Israeli forces since the start of the Gaza war in early October.

Lebanese Foreign Minister Abdallah Bou Habib said a flurry of diplomatic activity has sought to contain the anticipated Israeli response, after Defence Minister Yoav Gallant threatened to "hit the enemy hard". "Israel will escalate in a limited way and Hezbollah will respond in a limited way... These are the assurances we've received," Bou Habib said in an interview late Sunday with local broadcaster *Al-Jadeed*.

The United States, France and others were trying to contain the escalation, he added, while Lebanese Prime Minister Najib Mikati had also said that "talks are ongoing with international, European and Arab sides to protect Lebanon and ward off dangers".

Several airlines including Lufthansa, Air France and Transavia announced Monday the suspension of their Beirut lines. Hezbollah has denied responsibility for the Majdal Shams rocket attack, though the group claimed multiple strikes on Israeli military positions that day. Hezbollah has evacuated some positions in south and east Lebanon. *AFP*

Israeli security hold back demonstrators on Monday during a visit by the Israeli Prime Minister to the site where a rocket crashed and killed 12 in Golan Heights | AFP

WAR WATCH
ISRAEL-GAZA: DAY 297

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ASIA MATTERS

466 undersea volcanoes in the region

New research into 466 lesser-known undersea volcanoes in the region shows that the island state is not immune to rare, explosive events, *The Straits Times* reported. If a large, slumbering underwater volcano in the South China Sea were to erupt, it can set off tsunami waves that could reach Singapore's coastlines. Dr Andrea Verolino, at NTU's EOS, and his colleagues mapped out submerged seamounts and volcanic islands in the waters nearby of South-east Asia. Hundreds of them are ancient giants lurking in the deep, mostly overlooked and forgotten.

HC rejects Najib plea on bankruptcy

Najib Razak and his son Nazifuddin failed to stay get bankruptcy proceedings initiated by the Inland Revenue Board (LHDN) to claim RM1.69bil and RM37.6mil respectively in unpaid taxes, *The Star* reported. This follows the High Court's dismissal of Najib and Nazifuddin's application for a stay on the proceedings here on Monday.

EXPRESS READ

Nepal becomes electricity exporter for first time

Kathmandu: For the first time, Nepal has become a net electricity exporter with the earnings from electricity export exceeding the spending on its import from India in the 2023-24 fiscal year, authorities here said on Monday. In 2021, India allowed Nepal to sell electricity in its market. At present, Nepal has been exporting 690 MW of electricity to the Indian market. The Himalayan nation has been exporting its surplus electricity to India in the peak production season starting from June to November. The country imports power from India during the dry season. The Nepal Electricity Authority (NEA) exported electricity worth Rs 16.93 billion to India in the fiscal year 2023-24.

President Biden proposes sweeping SC reform plan

WASHINGTON

US President Joe Biden unveiled plans Monday to reform the conservative-dominated Supreme Court, in a bold but long-shot move as he seeks to make a mark in his last six months in power. In proposals backed by Vice President Kamala Harris, the presumptive Democratic election nominee, Biden is calling for 18-year term limits for the top court's justices and an enforceable ethics code.

The 81-year-old also wants a constitutional amendment to reverse the court's recent ruling backing Republican nominee and former president Donald Trump's claims of presidential immunity. Biden's move comes after a series of shock Supreme Court rulings such as the repeal of the nationwide right to abortion, and following a host of scandals involving the top court's lifetime-appointed justices.

The plans have almost no hope of getting through a deeply divided US Congress but could motivate Democratic voters in the November 2024 election, from which Biden dropped out just over a week ago. "What is happening now is not normal, and it undermines the public's confidence in the court's decisions, including those impacting personal freedoms," Biden said in an opinion piece in the *Washington Post*.

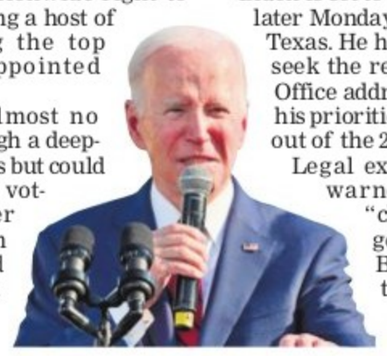
"We now stand in a breach."

Biden said the proposals also reflected the principle that "no one is above the law. Not the president of the United States. Not a justice on the Supreme Court of the United States. No one."

Harris said in a separate statement that "President Biden and I are calling on Congress to pass important reforms" to the court. "These popular reforms will help to restore confidence in the Court, strengthen our democracy, and ensure no one is above the law," she said.

Biden is set to further detail the plans later Monday in a speech in Austin, Texas. He had confirmed he would seek the reforms during an Oval Office address last week outlining his priorities after deciding to drop out of the 2024 election.

Legal expert Steven Schwinn warned that Biden had a "close to zero" chance of getting the plan through. But Biden was probably trying to "raise public consciousness", Schwinn said.



IN THE COURT OF THE LXXV ADDL. CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE, CCH 76, AT BANGALORE

O.S.No.961 of 2020

Between:
Bank of Baroda, Kengeri Branch, No.7&8, Devaraj Arash Layout, Kengari Main Road,Nagadevanahalli, Bangalore-560056. ...Plaintiff
And:
M/s. Om Sri Sai Baba Mahila Swa Sahaya Sangha, & Anothers ...Defendants

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANTS NO 1 TO 13 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

1. M/s Om Sri Sai Baba Mahila Swa Sahaya Sangha, Represented by its President No. 28, 6th Cross, 1st Main, Sanjeevini Nagar, H. Cross, Bangalore-560091
2 M/L Suprabha Educational and Charitable Trust (R) Represented by its Managing Trustees: Ms. Prathima, No.189, 5th Cross, Chowdeshwari Nagar, Laggere, Bengaluru-560058
3. Smt. Mahalakshmi W/o Puttaswamy, No.28, Sanjeevini Nagar, Hegganahalli Cross, Viswaneedam Post, Bangalore-560091
4. Smt. Vedavathi, W/o Nagaraj. K. N, No. 46, Anjananagar, Magadi Main Road, Bangalore-560091
5. Smt. Harshitha. P W/o Muddaraju. T. M. No.28, Shakthi Temple Road, Sanjeevini Nagar, Hegganahalli, Bangalore-560091.
6. Smt. Soma Prabha, W/o Somashekar, No. 46, Magadi Main Road, Muddinapalya Main Road, Viswaneedam Post, Anjananagar, Bangalore-560001
7. Smt. Jayalakshmi, W/s Kumar, No. 13, Sanjeevini Nagar, Hegganahalli Bangalore-560091.
8. Smt. Shakuntala, W/o R. Venkatesh, No.20, Vishwaneedam Post, Hegganahalli Cross, Sanjeevini Nagar, Bangalore-560091
9. Smt. Savitha. H. C W/o Tukharam. K. N No. 433, Sanjeevini Nagar, Megganahalli Cross, Sunkadakatte. Bangalore-560091
10. Smt. Lalitha, W/o Rajanna, No.20, Sanjeevini Nagar, Bangalore-560091
11. Smt. Durga W/o Murthy K. G, No.38, Lakshmana Nagar, Hegganahalli Cross, Sunkadakatte, Bangalore-560091.
12.Smt. Gowramma, W/o Cheluva Ramegowda, No.233, Sanjeevni Nagar, Hegganahalli Cross, Sunkadakatte, Bangalore-560091
13. Smt. Anusha W/o Shankara.B. P. No. 28, 6th Cross, 1st Main, Sanjeevini Nagar, H. Cross, Bangalore-560091. ...Defendants

WHEREAS, the above-named Plaintiff has filed the above suit seeking recovery of money of **Rs.2,49,476** With interest at the rate of **9.55% P.A** due to the Plaintiff Bank. The Defendants above named are hereby warned to appear in this court in person or by pleader duly instructed on the **2nd September 2024, at 11.00 am** to answer the questions to the same, failing wherein the matter will be heard and determined exparte.
Given under my hand and Seal of the court, this day of **26th July 2024.**

By Order of Court
Senior Sheristedar
City Civil Court, Bengaluru

Advocate Address:
Srinivasa. S. Advocate,
No.16, Ground Floor, 1st Cross Road, Near Dhanvantari Vana, Jnanabharathi, Mariyappanapalya, Bangalore-560056.

IN THE COURT OF THE LXXV ADDL. CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE, CCH 76, AT BANGALORE

O.S.No.962 of 2020

Between:
Bank of Baroda, Kengeri Branch, No.7&8, Devaraj Arash Layout, Kengari Main Road,Nagadevanahalli, Bangalore-560056. ...Plaintiff
And:
M/s. Anitethana Mahila Swa Sahaya Sangha and others ...Defendants

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANTS NO 1 TO 14 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

1. M/s. Anikethana Mahila Swa Sahaya Sangha, No.774, K.S.R.T.C., Ragigudda, J.P. Nagar, 2nd Phase, Bangalore-560078.
2. M/s. Suprabha Educational and Charitable Trust(R) Represented by its Managing Trustees: Ms.Prathima No.189, 5th Cross, Chowdeshwari Nagar, Laggere, Bengaluru - 560058
3. Smt. Noor Jahan, No.774, K.S.R.T.C, Ragigudda, J.P. Nagar 2nd Phase, Bangalore-560078
4. Smt, Anniyamma, No.980, Ragigudda Slam J.P. Nagar 2nd Phase, Bangalore-560078.
5. Smt. Vaajida No. 365, 8th Main Road, 9th Cross, Vivekananda Vasathi Sankirna, J.P. Nagar, Bangalora-560078
6. Smt. Dervi, No. 1087, Ragigudda Slam, J.P. Nagar, Bangalore-560078
7. Smt. Radha, No.1071, K.S.R.T.C. Layout, Ragigudda Slum, J.P. Nagar, Bangalore-560078
8. Smt. Noor Jaan, No. 405, Vivekananda Vasathi Sankirna, 3rd Cross, K.S.R.T.C. Layout, J.P. Nagar, Bangalore-560078
9. Smt. Nilamma, No. 845, J.P. Nagar, K.S.R.T.C. Slam, Bangalore-560078
10. Smt. Shahataj, No. 774, K.S.R.T.C. Slam, Ragigudda, J.P. Nagar, Bangalore-560078.
11. Smt Sumathi, No. 735, K.S.R.T.C. Slam, J.P. Nagar, Bangalore-560078
12. Smt. Jayalakshmi, No. 812, 5th Main Road, J.P. Nagar, 2nd Stage. Ragigudda Slum, Bangalore-560078.
13. Smt. Saproonnisa, No. 73, Puttayyana palya, Jayanagar 9th Block, Bangalore-560069.
14. Smt. Sameena Bhanu, No. 41/1, Government School Backside, Bilparadana halli, Bangalore-560083. ...Defendants

WHEREAS, the above-named Plaintiff has filed the above suit seeking recovery of money of **Rs. 3,15,894** With interest at the rate of **9.55% P.A** due to the Plaintiff Bank. The Defendants above named are hereby warned to appear in this court in person or by pleader duly instructed on the **2nd September 2024, at 11.00 am** to answer the questions to the same, failing wherein the matter will be heard and determined exparte.
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CHANGE OF NAME

I, **MANJUNATHA CHOWDARI MADDIPATHI HANUMANTHA REDDY (MANJUNATHA CHOWDARI M H)** (old name), R/o No.12, First Floor, 1st Main, 13th Cross, Hanumaiah Layout, Sanjay Nagar, Bengaluru North, Bengaluru - 560094 have changed my name as **MANJUNATH CHOWDARI MADDIPATHI HANUMANTHA REDDY (MANJUNATH CHOWDARI M H)** (new name), vide affidavit dated 29-07-2024 sworn before Notary Somashekhara L.E., Shivamogga. Henceforth all my transactions & dealings will be in my new name **MANJUNATH CHOWDARI MADDIPATHI HANUMANTHA REDDY.**

IN THE COURT OF THE XXXIII ADDL. CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE COURT AT BENGALURU
CC. NO. 51293/2016

BETWEEN : Radio One Limited, Unit 701 A, 7th Floor, Tower 2, Indiabulls Finance Centre, Senapathi Bapat Marg, Elphinstone Road, Mumbai - 400 013, Maharashtra. **..Complainant**
AND
1. Bangalore Management Academy & Others, No. 17, Ashirwad Tower, Near K. R. Puram, Railway Station, Doddanekkundi Cross, Mahadevapura Outer Ring Road, Marathalli, Bengaluru - 560 037.
2. Mr. Robinson Roberts Donison, M/s. Bangalore Management AcademyPvt. Ltd., No. 17, Ashirwad Tower, Near K. R. Puram, Railway Station, Doddanekkundi Cross, Mahadevapura Outer Ring Road, Marathalli, Bengaluru - 560 037. **...Accused**

Whereas the Hon'ble XXXIII Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Mayohall, Bangalore was pleased to issue proclamation by way of paper publication as hereunder upon an application filed before it in the above case as hereunder.

PROCLAMATION REQUIRING THE APPEARANCE OF ACCUSED No.1 AND 2

Whereas a complaint has been made before this court that **Bangalore Management Academy**, having its registered office at No. 17, Ashirwad Tower, Near K.R. Puram, Railway Station, Doddanekkundi Cross, Mahadevpura Outer Ring Road, Marathalli, Bengaluru – 5600037 and one of its Directors Mr. Robinson Roberts Donison, M/s. Bangalore Management Academy Pvt. Ltd. No. 17, Ashirwad Tower, Near K.R. Puram, Railway Station, Doddanekkundi Cross, Mahadevpura Outer Ring Road,Marathalli, Bengaluru – 5600037 has committed (or is suspected to have committed) the offences punishable under section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 and it has been returned to a warrant of arrest thereupon issued at the said Bangalore Management Academy and Mr. Robinson Roberts Donison Absconded (or is cancelling himself to avoid the service of the said warrant) proclamation is hereby made that the said Mr. Robinson Roberts Donison is required to appear before the XXXIII Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate court at Mayohall, Bangalore to answer the said complaint on 31/07/2024. **Signature**

Advocate for Complainant
Sunayana Basu Mallik, Advocate, King Stubb & Kasiva, 1A, Lavelle Mansion, 1/2, Lavelle Road, Ashok nagar, Bengaluru, Karnataka - 560 001.

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, the undersigned advocate on behalf of my clients **Sri Narayanappa and Others** have filed the above Petitioners have filed the above petition for the death certificate of **Ramanna @ Ramaiah S/o Junjappa was died on 19-06-2003** at Bullahalli Village, Vijayapura Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District. If any parties who have objections may dispute regarding the same can appear before the Civil Judge & JMFC at Devanahalli and date of hearing **on 2/9/2024 at 11.00 A.M. in C.Misc.No. 231/2024**

By Order of the Court, Sd/- Chief Ministerial Officer
Civil Judge & JMFC Court, Devanahalli
Sri Muniraju .N Advocate

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public is hereby notified that my client **Smt. M.R. Nethravathi** & her Daughter **Ms.Naivika Reddy** are the sole and absolute owners of the schedule Property.

The original Sale deed dated 24.04.2004 registered as doc. no.YAN-1-01591-2004-05 and Stored in CD No.YAND39 in the office of the Sub Registrar, Yelahanka, Bengaluru in respect of Property bearing Site No.47, Formed in Converted Sy. No.70/1, 70/2, 70/3, Katha No.325, PID No.1502002009001003 73, Situated at Doddajala Village, Jala Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk presently Yelahanka Taluk, Bangalore, Measuring East to West 30 ft. and North to South 40 ft. in all Measuring 1200 Sq. Ft. is misplaced/lost by client. In this connection, a police complaint has been lodged on 29.07.2024 vide Acknowledgement of Police Complaint vide Lost Report No.1167970/2024.

Any Person finds the document may handover the same to the undersigned within **15 days** from this day. If the said document is misused by anybody, it shall not be binding on our client and he/she shall not be binding on our client and he/she shall be doing so at him /their own costs and risks.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing Site No.47, Formed in Converted Sy. No.70/1, 70/2, 70/3, Katha No.325, PID No.1502002009001003 73, Situated at Doddajala Village, Jala Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk presently Yelahanka Taluk, Bangalore, Measuring East to West 30 ft. and North to South 40 ft. in all Measuring 1200 Sq. Ft. and Bounded on: **East by:** Site No.48, **West by :** Site No.46, **North by:** Road **South by:** Site No.58

Aswath .B, Advocate
#36 (317/C), 9th A Main, 40th Cross
5th Block Jayanagara, Bangalore -560041
Mob.No : 9901944099
E-mail: aswath.bb@gmail.com

PUBLIC NOTICE

Our Client intends to purchase a site more fully described in the Schedule below **("Schedule Property")** from its present owner, **Ms. Subhashini W/o.Lakshmipathy R N** residing at Konanakunte, Bengaluru-62. If any person/s, having any claims, objections etc. in respect of the said Schedule Property or any part thereof, the same may be brought to the notice of the undersigned in writing together with all details and documents in support of such claim within **15 (Fifteen) days** from the date of this Notice. Any objections, claims etc., received after the expiry of the period mentioned above shall neither be entertained nor be binding on our client.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of property bearing vacant **Site No.7,** Old Khaneshumari No. 461/7, Khata No.740, BBMP Khata No.2829/216/2/7, formed in converted land bearing Survey No.216/2 situated at **Kodigehalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore** measuring East to West 30 Feet and North to South 40 Feet, totally **1200 Sq ft** and bounded as follows:
East by : Site No.8, West by : Site No. 6, North by : Road, South by : Site No. 2

Sd/- Vijay S, Advocate
#1380, 9th F Cross, Anjaneya Temple Road, Sarakki Gate, JP Nagar, Banglore - 560078, Call: 8050942230

Bengaluru Date : 29-07-2024

DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL, BANGALORE(DRT- II)
4th Floor Telephone House, Raj Bhavan Road, Bengaluru - 560 001
O.A. NO.976/2022

Between: State Bank of India, RACPC Lalbagh Branch, represented by Chief Manager, Mrs. Daya S. Naik, Stressed Asset Recovery Branch, J. C. Road, Bangalore - 560 002, E-mail ID : sbi.05173@sbi.co.in , PAN No. AAACS8577K, IFSC: SBIN0005173, Ph: No. 9449842910. ...**Applicant**
And
Mr. Nagendra S. S. ...**Defendant**

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23 (VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES, 1993 TO THE DEFENDANT THROUGH PAPER PUBLICATION

To : Mr. Nagendra S. S. S/o. Suri Bhatta S. K. Aged about 44 years, Residing at : No. 127, Ground Floor, Seeta Preeti, Balaji nagar, ICICI Bank Cross, Uttarahalli, Bangalore - 560 061, Ph: +91 9886967753. PAN NO. BBKPS6182D ...**Defendant**

1. Whereas, the Applicant has instituted an application under Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institution Act,1993, against defendant for recovery of a sum of Rs.77,65,373/- (Rupees Seventy seven lakhs sixty five thousand three hundred and seventy three only).
2. The above- mentioned defendant are directed to appear before the Tribunal in person or through an advocate or duly authorised agents in support of your defense to show cause within 30 days from the date of publication or on **19.09.2024 at 11.00 AM** as to why the relief prayed for should not be granted.
3. Take notice that all in case of default the application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal **15th day of June 2024 at Bangalore .** By Order of the Tribunal
Sd/- Registrar,
Debts Recovery Tribunal- II, Bangalore

IN THE COURT OF DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL- 1,
BSNL Building 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru- 560 001
O.A. No. 388/2023

Between:HDFC Bank Limited. ...**Applicant**
And:
Mr. HUSSAIN ALI MODY ...Defendants,
To:**Mr. Hussain Ali Mody,** S/o. Mr. Vali Mohammed Mody , Aged about 51 years No. 101, Nurris Cottage, 12/1, Nurris Road, Bangalore - 560 025
Also at : Hussain Ali Mody, No. 6/5, Mandiveerappa Lane SJP Road, Bangalore - 560 002
And Also at : Mr. Hussain Ali Mody, 9, Serpentine Street, Richmond Town, Museum Road, Bangalore - 560 002.

SUMMONS ISSUED TO DEFENDANT UNDER RULE 23(VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES 1993 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

WHEREAS, the Applicant has instituted an application Under Section 19, of the Recovery of Debts due to Banks and Financial Institutions act, 1993, against you for recovery of a sum of **Rs.79,01,254/-** (Rupees Seventy Nine Lakhs One Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Four Only) together with current and future interest, cost and other relief's.
The above Defendants are required to appear therefore hereby directed to appear before the Tribunal in person or through an Advocate or duly instructed in support of their defence to show cause on **29/10/2024 at 10:30 a.m.** as to why the relief's prayed for should not be granted.
Take notice that in case of default, the application will be heard and determined in your absence.
Given under my hand and seal of the Tribunal this the **21st day of May 2024.**

By Order of the Tribunal
Sd/- Asst. Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal - I Bangalore

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DEMAND NOTICE
Demand notice to Borrowers / Mortgagors/Guarantors
Under Sub-section (2) of section 13 of the SARFAESI Act, 2002

To, 1.Mr. Vikranth V Y & Mrs. Vaishnavi Vikranth, both residing at Flat No. 221, F Block, II Floor, Garadi Apartments, K R Road, Tata Silk Farm. **Also at:** 11-H, Block B, 11th Floor, Vahe Imperial Garden, Gunjur Village, Varthur, Bangalore-560087. **Also at:** Nuance Studio, 290A, 4th Floor, 34th Cross, 9th Main Road, Jayanagar 4th Block, Bangalore-560041.

Demand Notice Dated: 29-07-2024

Dear Madam/ Sir,

Re: Your Credit Facilites with Indian Overseas Bank, Jayanagar V Block Branch

1) You, the above named borrowers of our Bank have availed the following credit facilities from our **Jayanagar V Block Branch.** The details of the credit facilities with outstanding dues are as under:

Nature of facility	Limit	ROI (%) + 2.00% penal interest	Total Dues as on 29.07.2024
Term Loan under Subhagruha scheme 034603464000025	Rs. 55,00,000/-	RLLR (9.35%) + 0.30% + 2.00% = 11.65% presently	Rs. 68,92,858.03

* With further interest at contractual rates/rests will become payable from the date mentioned above till date of payment.
The credit facilities were secured by the assets mentioned below by way of mortgage of the property standing in the names of the mortgagors.
You have acknowledged from time to time the liabilities under the above transactions through various documents executed by you.

2) The details of securities in favour of the Bank for the aforesaid credit facilities are

Nature of Security	Particulars of Securities
Prime Security	All that piece and parcel of Residential Apartment bearing Flat No. 11-H, in B Block and situated in 11th Floor of the residential apartment building by name **"VAHE IMPERIAL GARDENS"**, apartment measuring SBUA - 1410 Sq. Ft. along with UDS of 465 Sq. Ft. including proportionate share in common areas, passages, lobbies, stair cases and other areas of common use with 1 covered car parking in upper basement area.

3) Consequent upon defaults committed by the above named borrowers in payment of the principal debt/interest as per agreed terms, your loan account mentioned above has been classified as Non-Performing Asset on **27.07.2024** as per Reserve Bank of India guidelines and directives. Despite our reminders for regularization of our account, you have not repaid the overdue loans including interest thereon.
4) Since you the above named borrowers have failed to meet the liabilities in respect of the credit facilities duly secured by the security mentioned above and upon classification of your account as **Non-Performing Asset,** we hereby recall our advances to you and give you notice under Sub-Section (2) of Section 13 of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and call upon you to pay in full and discharge your liabilities to the **Bank aggregating to Rs. 68,92,858/- (Rupees Sixty Eight Lakhs, Ninety Two Thousand, Eight Hundred Fifty Eight only) as detailed in para 1 above, with further interest @ RLLR (9.35%) + 0.30% + 2.00 penal interest% = 11.65% presently compounded with monthly rests as agreed, from the date mentioned above, within 60 days from the date of receipt of this notice.**
5) We further give notice to the borrowers namely Mr. Vikranth V Y & Mrs. Vaishnavi Vikranth and mortgagors / guarantors who have given non-agri securities enforceable under the SARFAESI Act namely under 13 (2), 13 (4) and E-auction that failing payment of the above amount in full with interest and charges etc till the date of payment, we shall be exercising all or any of the rights vested on us, under sub-section (4) of section 13 of the said Act.
6) Please note that in law the borrowers and guarantors are jointly and severally liable to pay the dues with further interest and charges etc.
7) Please note that interest will continue to accrue at the rates and rests as agreed for each credit facility until full repayment.
8) Your attention is also invited to Sub-Section (13) of Section 13 of the said Act in terms of which you are restrained from transferring/allenating/shifting any of the secured assets referred to above by way of sale, lease or otherwise, without obtaining our prior written consent. Please also note that non-compliance/contravention of the provisions contained in the said Act or Rules made here under, is an offence which is punishable with imprisonment and/or fine as provided under Section 29 of the Act.
9) We also put all of you on notice that if the account is not regularized/repaid within the stipulated time and in case of the Bank classifying you as a willful defaulter as per RBI Guidelines, the Bank reserves its rights to publish your photographs in Newspaper(s) with your name, address, details of default, dues etc., in accordance with RBI Guidelines besides initiating all recourses available to the Bank for recovery.
10) We also advise you that this Demand Notice is without prejudice to and shall not be construed as waiver of any other rights or remedies which we have for recovery of the above said dues as well as our right to make further demands in respect of the sums due and payable by you.
11) Further, attention is invited to provisions of Sub-Section (8) of the Section 13 of the Act, in respect of the time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Date: 29-07-2024, Place: Bangalore **Sd/- Authorized Officer, Indian Overseas Bank**

PUBLIC NOTICE

ICICI Bank | Branch Office: ICICI Bank Ltd, 3rd Floor, Plot No- 23, New Rohtak Road, Karol Bagh, Delhi- 110005

The following borrower(s) has/have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest towards the Loan facility(ies) availed from ICICI Bank. The Loan(s) has/have been classified as Non-Performing Asset(s) (NPA). A Notice was issued to them under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, at their last known addresses. However, it has not been served and are therefore being notified by way of this Public Notice.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/Guarantor/ (Loan Account Number) & Address	Description of Secured Asset to be enforced	Date of Notice sent/ Outstanding as on Date of Notice	NPA Date
1.	Inder Paul Singh, Satvinder Kaur, Rakh Lachhipur, Kathua, Jammu and Kashmir -184104. A/c No. TBJMM00006758417	Plot Measuring 6 Marla Comprised In Khasra No. 398/293, Khewat No. 2, Khata No. 148, Situated At Village Sehora, Tehsil Bishnah (Outside The Municipal Limits), District Jammu.	03/07/2024 Rs. 16,00,983/-	04/04/ 2024

These steps are being taken for substituted service of Notice. The above borrower/s and/or guarantor/s (as applicable) is/are advised to make the outstanding payment within 60 days from the date of publishing this Notice. Else, further steps will be taken as per the provisions of the Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

Date: July 30, 2024
Place: Bangalore

Sincerely, Authorised Signatory
For ICICI Bank Ltd.

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MALALA YOUSAFZAI

Ola Electric sets price band at ₹72-76 for ₹6,145 cr IPO

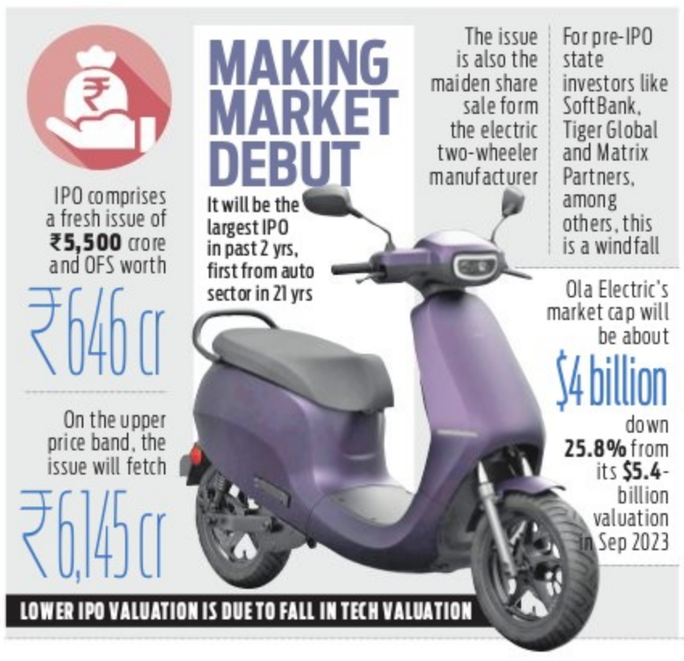
At upper price band, m-cap will be $4 bn, down 25.8% from $5.4 bn valuation in Sept 2023

BENN KOCHUVEEDAN @ Mumbai

HOMEGROWN electric scooter maker Ola Electric Mobility, which controls nearly 39% segmental market share, has fixed ₹72-76 for the its ₹6,146 crore primary share sale that is opening on August 2, nearly 26% less than what was planned earlier.

It will be the largest IPO in the past two years and the first from auto sector in 21 years after Maruti Suzki's market entry in 2003. The issue is the maiden share sale form any electric two-wheeler manufacturer. While early investors will lose about 30%, for pre-IPO state investors like SoftBank, which is the single largest external shareholder, and Tiger Global and Matrix Partners ,among others, this is a windfall. Bhavish Aggarwal, firm's promoter, holds 1.36 billion shares (36.94% stake), valued at ₹10,350 crore based on the price band. He acquired this stake for a negligible amount, as per the DRHP.

At the upper end of the price band, Ola Electric's m-cap will be about $4 billion, down 25.8% from its $5.4 billion valuation in September 2023, led by Temasek. The lower IPO valuation is due to a global tech valuation correction and Ola's strategy to boost participation, according to analysts.


MAKING MARKET DEBUT
It will be the largest IPO in past 2 yrs, first from auto sector in 21 yrs
The issue is also the maiden share sale form the electric two-wheeler manufacturer
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IPO comprises a fresh issue of ₹5,500 crore and OFS worth
₹646 cr
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Ola Electric's market cap will be about
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LOWER IPO VALUATION IS DUE TO FALL IN TECH VALUATION

Aggarwal, founder and Chairman of the EV-maker, told reporters here Monday to announce the share sale, that Ola's growth story is consistent and secular and has the large potential and discounted the demand slowdown that the sector has been facing of late saying this is the future of mobility.

"We are a mission-driven company and our mission is to make India a global EV hub," said Aggarwal. He said there doesn't seem to be any slowing down of the EV story and that incumbents are joining the party. "EVs are the biggest transformation in the automotive industry in a century," he said. His own capacity utilisation level of just about 49% of 1 million installed capacity doesn't attest this optimism.

As per the company's chief financial officer, Harish Abichandani, though the installed capacity is 1 million and has the infrastructure for up to 4 million unit capacity per annum, the average capacity utilisation in FY24 was only 49%.

The IPO comprises a fresh issue of ₹5,500 crore and an offer for sale (OFS) of up to 84.94 million shares, or worth ₹646 crore. On the upper price band, the issue will fetch ₹6,145 crore.

Aggarwal and his family will divest 3.8%of their holding via the issue, paring their ownership to under 33% from 36.7% pre-issue, aggrawal told TNIE.

MapMyIndia accuses Ola Electric of copying data

NEW DELHI: Ola Electric has found itself in legal trouble with a mapping company. CE Info System, parent company of MapMyIndia. It has alleged that Ola Electric has copied data from them for its own mapping service Ola Maps. The two firms had formed a licensing agreement in 2022 that allowed the electric two-wheeler maker to use its navigation services for S1 Pro electric scooter. It prohibited Ola from integrating licenced product with similar competing product and from reverse engineering or attempting to extract or replicate the source code from any API or related software of the licensed product. *ENS*

Early investors to lose 30%, late entrants gain

Biggest gainers

Biggest beneficiaries are Tiger Global, and Matrix Partners, which will gains 550% and 824%, respectively

SoftBank, to gain

Later-stage investors like SoftBank, which owns as much as 25% in the company, Tiger Global, and Matrix Partners stand to enjoy multi-bagger gains

BENN KOCHUVEEDAN @ Mumbai

THE steep 26% valuation cut in the ₹6,146 crore primary share sale from largest electric scooter maker Ola Electric at a price band of ₹72-76 share will likely to see early investors' investment value eroding by about 30%, but for the late entrants like SoftBank, Tiger Global, Matrix Partners and others, it will be a windfall.

The biggest beneficiaries are the Internet Fund, backed by Tiger Global, and Matrix Partners, which will achieve staggering gains of 550% and 824%, respectively.

While most of its early investors own over 60% of the Bengaluru-based company will lose up to 30% of their investment as the company has scaled down its value to nearly $4 billion, for late entrants like Tiger Global, Matrix Partners, this is a multibagger, as per the DRHP.

The heavy loss for those who entered the company at pre-IPO level is because the price band is set lower than their average acquisition price — a rare scenario for tech IPOs in recent years. Later-stage investors like SoftBank, which owns close to 25% in the Bhavesh Aggrawal founded firm, Tiger Global, and Matrix Partners stand to enjoy multi-bagger gains.

While investors such as Alpine Opportunity Fund, which bought shares at an average price of ₹111.51, and Tekne Private Ventures, which bought at ₹113.12/share, are likely to see over 30% losses from upper price band of ₹76 a share. Alpine Opportunity Fund's 21.42 million shares are valued at ₹238 crore based on their average price, but will drop to ₹163 crore at the upper price band, which is ₹76.

BYJU'S CASE

NCLAT judicial member rescues from hearing

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Bengaluru

JUSTICE Sharad Kumar Sharma of the National Company Law Appellate Tribunal (NCLAT) Chennai bench on Monday rescued himself from hearing an appeal by edtech firm Byju's founder Byju Raveendran seeking an interim stay on the insolvency proceedings.

The NCLAT Chennai has refused to hear the case, as the bench member has been counsel for BCCI in the past. The Chairperson is now requested to form a bench to hear the matter.

The Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI) filed a petition against Think and Learn Pvt Ltd, the parent company of Byju's over unpaid dues amounting to ₹158 crore. On July 16, the NCLT admitted the edtech firm into the Corporate Insolvency Resolution Process, but the edtech firm approached the NCLAT Chennai against the insolvency proceedings.

Byju Raveendran has moved the Karnataka High Court seeking a stay on the insolvency proceedings, but the HC deferred the hearing on July 30. According to reports, Justice Sharma said that he went through the entire case papers and realised that the beneficiary is going to be BCCI, and so he doesn't want to get involved with this.

It is said Raveendran's lawyers will now write to the NCLAT Registry seeking listing of the matter before another bench. Byju Raveendran has lost control of the company as the firm has been admitted into the insolvency process.

NSE Nifty comes within the hair's breadth of 25,000

ARSHAD KHAN @ New Delhi

IN the highly volatile session of Monday, NSE Nifty50 – almost conquered the 25,000 milestone. The 50-share index hit a fresh record high of 24,999.75 during the session but closed flat at 24,836.10.

The 30-share pack - BSE Sensex - also hit a fresh all-time high of 81,908.43 in intraday trade but managed to close just 23 points higher at 81,355.84.

After advancing more than 1.70% on Friday, the stage was set for Nifty50 to hit the 25,000 level. It started the session on a positive note and maintained a strong momentum for the next couple of hours. However, a sudden profit booking at about 12.05 pm in the banking stocks pulled down the index by nearly 0.70% over the next 15 minutes. Between 12.05 pm and 12.20 pm, Nifty Bank crashed nearly 2% or about 1,000 points.

Profit booking

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"After an initial uptick, the Nifty edged closer to the new milestone of 25,000 in the first half. However, profit-taking in select heavyweights trimmed the gains as the day progressed, ultimately closing near the day's low at 24,836.10," said Ajit Mishra – SVP, Research, Religare Broking. Mishra added that mixed global cues and the underperformance of major banks are causing an intermediate pause in the index; however, the overall tone remains positive. In the Nifty50 pack, Divislab, BPCL, LT, Bajaj Finserv and Mahindra & Mahindra were the top gainers, surging between 2% and 3%. Bharti Airtel, Titan and Cipla were among the major laggards.

In the broader market, mid-cap and small-cap stocks outperformed the benchmarks. The Nifty MidCap 100 index hit a fresh record high of 58,455.1 and settled 1% higher at 58,364.65. The Nifty SmallCap index also ended 1% higher.

Vinod Nair, head of research, Geojit Financial Services, said that ease in the US personal consumption expenditure to 2.5% and the subsequent drop in the US 10-year yield have fuelled optimism that the Fed might cut rates in September, leading to a global rally. He added that a policy meeting is scheduled for the Fed, BOJ and BOE this week, and investors are closely monitoring the developments.

Concor disinvestment unlikely soon: DIPAM Secy

MONIKA YADAV/DIPAK MONDAL @ New Delhi

CONCOR SHARES SURGE MORE THAN 50%

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DISINVESTMENT of Container Corporation of India (Concor) is unlikely in near future, DIPAM Secretary Tuhin Kanta Pandey said on Monday. In an interaction with this newspaper, he stated that the government hasn't even launched the Expression of Interest (EoI).

"We haven't even launched the EoI (Concor) and doesn't even look likely in the near future. We have to see at the timing and all.., There are initial obstacles and some of the obstacles have been handled. At the moment our focus is on the EoIs which are already in the pipeline," Pandey said.

The strategic sale of the government's 30.8% stake in the ₹68,230 crore Concor, which was approved in 2019 and included the transfer of management control, has faced numerous challenges since then. Companies like JSW, Maersk, and Adani expressed interest in acquiring the Centre's stake, but reports suggest that railway ministry has raised concerns regarding the introduction of a strategic investor.

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On BPCL, he said the Centre did go through the first iteration, which didn't succeed. "Thereafter, I think the minister (petroleum minister Hardeep Singh Puri) has made an announcement," Pandey said.

EXPRESS READ

Insider trading rules for mutual funds from Nov 1

NEW DELHI: Sebi has notified November 1 as effective date for implementation of insider trading rules to enhance integrity and transparency in asset management companies. This is to maintain confidentiality of information and placing restrictions on its communication underscores Sebi's commitment to preventing insider trading, it said. *ENS*

Sebi launches chatbot 'Seva' for investors

NEW DELHI: Markets regulator Sebi has launched a virtual assistant (Seva) – an artificial intelligence-based conversation platform for investors. The Beta version of chatbot includes features like citations for generated response, speech-to-text and text-to-speech functionality for accessibility, follow-up questions, sebi said. *ENS*

Digital economy to reach 20% of GDP by 2026: RBI

ARSHAD KHAN @ New Delhi

THE sweeping digitisation of the financial markets and payments system will drive the country's digital economy, which currently accounts for a tenth of the GDP, and constitute a fifth or 20% of the GDP by 2026," says a report prepared by the Reserve Bank.

Several enabling forces have come together to energise this revolution. Though Internet penetration was at 55% in 2023, the Internet user base has grown by 199 million in the recent three years. In India, cost per gigabyte of data consumed is the lowest globally at an average of ₹13.32 ($0.16) per GB and the country also has one of the highest mobile data consumption in the world, with an average per-user per-month consumption of 24.1 GB in 2023, RBI said in its 'Report on Currency and Finance for 2023-24, released on Monday.

"It is estimated that the domestic digital economy currently accounts for a tenth of our GDP and going by the growth rate observed over the past decade, it is poised to constitute a fifth of the GDP by 2026," the report said.

Governor Shaktikanta Das said, "Digitalisation in finance is paving the way for next-generation banking; improving access to financial services at affordable costs; and enhancing the impact of direct benefit transfers by effective targeting of beneficiaries in a cost-efficient manner." The country is at the forefront of the digital revolution, he noted.

The country has embraced not just financial technology by speeding up digital payments but has also celebrated India Stack comprising biometric identification, the unified payments interface (UPI), mobile connectivity, digital lockers and consent-based data sharing, the Governor noted and pointed out that the ongoing digital revolution is galvanising banking infrastructure and public finance management systems covering both direct benefit transfers and tax collections, while the vibrant e-markets are springing up and expanding their reach.

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NCLT orders Future Retail's liquidation as resolution bids with lenders failed

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

THE Mumbai bench of the National Company Law Tribunal (NCLT) has ordered liquidation of Future Retail as all the resolution bids have failed with the lenders after the committee of creditors led by Bank of India, opted for liquidation of the company that was once the poster boy of modern restock in the country.

This will be a big blow to lenders as the company has negligible assets to be sold off and recover the dues. Most of the yielding stores were taken over by Reliance after its aborted bid d to buy the company out. Even through resolution banks were on average getting only about under a third of their dues so far and liquidation means at least 90% loss or hair cut as in the banking parlance.

The lenders took Kishore Biyani who sold himself as the pioneer of modern retail in this part of the world and labelled himself as the Indian version of Sam Walton of the Walmart fame in the US, to the insolvency court in April 2022 after it failed to repay the lenders following Reliance Retail's refusal to honour its ₹23400 crore takeover offer. The retail firm owes more than ₹17,000 crore to both its financial and operational creditors.

The NCLT order on Monday comes after the resolution professional failed to get any resolution applicants to turn around the insolvent company. It's the end of the road for Kishore Biyani-led Future Retail, which once led domestic organized retail revolution. Liquidation means setting in motion a process that will see its assets being sold to pay off its dues. The bench appointed Sanjay Gupta as the liquidator.

Q1 FY25 RESULTS

ACC Q1 profit down 22.5% to ₹361 crore

NEW DELHI: Cement maker ACC Ltd on Monday reported a fall of 22.46% in its net profit to ₹361.40 crore in the first quarter of the financial year 2024-25.

The company had reported a profit of ₹466.14 crore in the April-June quarter a year ago, as per a regulatory filing from ACC, a part of Adani Cement. Revenue from operations was marginally lower at ₹5,154.89 crore during the quarter under review. It was ₹5,201.11 crore in the corresponding period a year ago.

ACC's sales volume from Cement & Clinker in the April-June quarter was up 9% at 10.2 million tonnes, which is the "highest ever volume" in Q1 over the last five years, according to an earning statement by the company.

The volume growth was "supported by an increase in premium products and improvement in efficiency parameters, ensuring market leadership". *ENS*

Indian Bank profit rises 41% to ₹2,403 cr

NEW DELHI: State-owned Indian Bank on Monday reported a 41% increase in its net profit to ₹2,403 crore for the first quarter of the financial year 2024025 due to a fall in bad loans.

The Chennai-based lender had earned a net profit of ₹1,709 crore in the year-ago period. During the quarter, the bank's total income increased to ₹16,945 crore against ₹14,759 crore a year ago, Indian Bank said in a regulatory filing. Its interest income grew to ₹15,039 crore during the period under review from ₹13,049 crore in the corresponding quarter a year ago. The bank's gross non-performing assets (NPAs) improved to 3.77% of gross advances as of June 30, 2024, from 5.47% in the April-June quarter of the previous fiscal. The net NPAs also declined to 0.39% of the advances from 0.70% a year ago. *ENS*

Adani Total profit up 20% on CNG volumes

NEW DELHI: Adani Total Gas, the city gas joint venture between Adani group and TotalEnergies of France, on Monday reported a 20% increase net profit in the first quarter of the financial year 2024-25, on the back of rise in CNG and piped cooking gas sales.

The company reported a net profit of ₹177 crore in April-June, compared to ₹148 crore earning in the same period a year back, Adani Total Gas said in a press statement. Revenue from operations increased 9% to ₹1,237 crore. The company said CNG sales rose 20%to 153 million standard cubic meters in April-June, the first quarter of the current 2024-25 fiscal year. Sales of cooking gas piped to households was up 11 per cent at 77 mmscm. EBITDA (earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization) was up 21% at ₹308 crore year-on-year. *ENS*

GULBARGA ELECTRICITY SUPPLY COMPANY LIMITED

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No: GESCOM/CEE(O)/SEE(Proj)/EE/AEE/AE-2/24-25/21096-134 Date: 26-07-2024

TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through Karnataka Public Procurement Portal only)

Gulbarga Electricity Supply Company Limited, Kalaburagi invites tender for the work of "Construction of New 11KV Link Lines from various Sub-Stations/Overloaded feeders in GESCOM Jurisdictions in following O&M Divisions of Kalaburagi, Bidar, Yadgir, Raichur, Koppal, Ballari and Vijaynagara Districts on Total Turnkey Basis" bidding from eligible bidders through Karnataka Public Procurement Portal on Percentage Basis.

Sl. No.	Tender Enquiry Nos. No:GESCOM/CEE(O)/SEE(Proj)/EEE/AEE/AE/2024-25.	Appx. Amount (in Crs)
1	11KV Link Line/428 (In O&M Division-I Kalaburagi)	6.21
2	11KV Link Line/429 (In O&M Division-II KLB & Sedam)	3.48
3	11KV Link Line/430 (In O&M Division Bidar & Humnabad)	2.88
4	11KV Link Line/431 (In O&M Division Shorapur)	5.31
5	11KV Link Line/432 (In O&M Division Yadgir)	4.97
6	11KV Link Line/433 (In O&M Division Raichur Rural & Urban)	4.92
7	11KV Link Line/434 (In O&M Division Sindhanoor)	5.86
8	11KV Link Line/435 (In O&M Division Koppal)	5.93
9	11KV Link Line/436 (In O&M Division Ganagavathi)	2.77
10	11KV Link Line/437 (In O&M Division Ballari Rural & Urban)	6.59
11	11KV Link Line/438 (In O&M Division H.B Halli)	9.60
12	11KV Link Line/439 (In O&M Division Hospet Urban)	4.46

The bid documents will be available in **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** on or after **08.08.2024,** the prospective bidders can obtain further details from the office of the undersigned.

Sd/- Chief Engineer Electy., (Operations), Corporate Office, GESCOM, Kalaburagi.

DIPR/Kalaburagi/258/KSMC&A/2024-25

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Possession Notice For Immovable Property [Appendix IV under the Act-Rule-8(1)]

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of the Bank of Maharashtra under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with rule 3 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued Demand Notices dated as mentioned below calling upon the following Borrower/s & Guarantor/s to repay the amounts mentioned in the notices within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. Both the notices were sent by Regd. AD post as well as published in newspaper on 24.05.2024. The borrower/s as well as guarantor/s having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower/s as well as guarantor/s and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the properties described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the dates mentioned below. The borrower/s as well as guarantor/s in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties and any dealings with the properties will be subject to the charge of Bank of Maharashtra for an amount mentioned herein below. The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of Sub-Section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets. This notice is also being published in vernacular Language. The English version shall be final if any question of interpretation arises.

Sl. No.	Name of Branch and Borrowers/Guarantors	Outstanding Amount as per Demand Notice (In Rs.)	Date of Demand Notice / Date of Possession / Type of Possession
1	**Branch: Kormangala (Bengaluru)** **Borrower/s: Mr. Eruvaka Vishal, S/o Eruvaka Eswaraiah** **Guarantor/s: Miss. Eruvaka Sucharitha, D/o Eruvaka Eswaraiah**	**Rs.1,11,08,201.00** (Rupees One Crore Eleven Lakh Eight Thousand Two Hundred One Only) plus unapplied interest thereon	13.05.2024 / 25.07.2024 Physical Possession
	Immovable Property Details : All that piece and parcel of vacant residential land situated at Northern Portion of New Site No. 01, bearing Khata No. 391/41, New Site No. 1, Property No. 15020010180040057 9 in Sy No. 547/3, situated at Surya Nagar, II Phase, KHB, Marasur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore-560099, admeasuring total area 4010.75 sq. ft. (East to West-131.50 feet. & North to South 30.50 feet.) and the property is butted and bounded as under-On or towards East : By Remaining portion of the Erstwhile Sy. No. 547/3; On or towards West : By 60 feet Road; On or towards North : By Northern Portion of new site no. 1 of Schedule A property & On or towards South : By Remaining Southern Portion of same site and site Nos 2 to 5.		
2	**Branch: Kormangala (Bengaluru)** **Borrower/s: Sasikumar Arumugham and Mrs. Arthi Sasikumar**	**Rs.49,36,914.00** (Rupees Forty Nine Lakh Thirty Six Thousand Nine Hundred Fourteen Only) plus unapplied interest thereon	15.05.2024 / 25.07.2024 Symbolic Possession
	Immovable Property Details : Flat No. 101, Ground Floor, measuring 1429 Sq. Ft. "SAND GALAXY" constructed on all pieces and parcels of land together with the buildings lying at village kaggadasapura in the registration district Bangalore, Sub District K R Puram, Hobli, Mahadevapura Zone ward no. 81, undivided share admeasuring 398.94 Sq feet and bearing survey No. 10/1 (Old Survey no. 87/4), bounded as under- On or towards East : By Remaining Portion of Survey No. 10/1; On or towards West : By Road; On or towards North : By Property belonging to Mr. Manjunath G V & On or towards South : By Remaining Portion of Survey No. 10/1.		

Date : 25.07.2024 **Sd/- Chief Manager & Authorized Officer**
Place : Bengaluru **Bank of Maharashtra, Koramangala Branch**

BANGALORE WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE BOARD

INVITATION FOR TENDER (Through KPP Portal Only)

BWSSB invite tenders in Two Stage Tender System from Eligible Contractors for the below mentioned works.

Office of The Chief Engineer (North), 2nd Floor, Cauvery Bhavan, KG Road, Bangalore-560009.

Name of Work	Amount Put to Tender / EMD
No: BWSSB/EIC/CE(N)/ACE(N)-1/DCE(M)-II/TA(N)/1821/2024-25	**Date:29.07.2024**
Providing and laying of 100mm DI water supply Pipeline in Tannery road from Doddi circle to Venkateshpuara circle coming under Pillanna garden-1 service station AEE C-1-2 sub division.	Rs. 107.05 lakhs / Rs. 2.00 lakhs
No: BWSSB/EIC/CE(N)/ACE(N)-1/DCE(M)-II/TA(N)/1822/2024-25	**Date:29.07.2024**
Providing and laying of 450mm dia MS water supply line in Tannery road from Doddi circle to Sagaypuram football ground coming under Pillanna garden-2 service station AEE C-1-2 near sub division.	Rs. 253.06 lakhs / Rs. 4.48 lakhs
No: BWSSB/EIC/CE(N)/ACE(N)-1/DCE(M)-II/TA(N)/1823/2024-25	**Date:29.07.2024**
Providing and laying of 250mm dia MS water supply lin in Tannery road(left side) from Doddi circle to venkateshpuara circle coming under Pillanna garden-1 service station AEE C-1-2 sub division.	Rs. 217.23 lakhs / Rs. 3.84 lakhs
No: BWSSB/EIC/CE(N)/ACE(N)-1/DCE(M)-II/TA(N)/1824/2024-25	**Date:29.07.2024**
Providing and laying of 100mm (Both Side), 200mm dia (One Side) DI pipeline and 300mm dia (One Side) MS water supply line in Shampura Main Road From Periyar Circle to Dr. AMC Road coming under Pillanna Garden-1 service station of AEE C-1-2 sub-division.	Rs. 320.00 lakhs / Rs. 5.67 lakhs
No: BWSSB/EIC/CE(N)/ACE(N)-1/DCE(M)-II/TA(N)/1825/2024-25	**Date:29.07.2024**
Providing and laying of 100mm, 150mm 200mm dia DI pipeline and 300mm dia MS water supply line In DJ Halli Main Road From Periyar Circle To NP Factory Road coming under Pillanna Garden-1 service station AEE C-1-2 sub division.	Rs. 291.33 lakhs / Rs. 5.15 lakhs
No: BWSSB/EIC/CE(N)/ACE(N)-1/DCE(M)-II/TA(N)/1826/2024-25	**Date:29.07.2024**
Providing and laying of 100mm, 200mm, DI pipeline in Hennur 80 ft main road from Bangalore East Railway station, Pottery road to 6th cross, Hatchins road coming under Pillanna Garden-2 service station AEEC-1-2 sub-division.	Rs. 198.71 lakhs / Rs. 3.52 lakhs

For the above works Last date and time for Receipt of tenders will be on **14.08.2024 upto 16.00 hrs**. The bids will be opened on : **16.08.2024 after 16.00 hrs**.

Sd/- Chief Engineer (North)

Office of The Chief Engineer (West), 6th Floor, Cauvery Bhavan, KG Road, Bangalore-560009.

No: BWSSB/EIC/CE(W)/ACE(W)-1/DCE(M)-2/TA(W)/1843/2024-25	**Date:29.07.2024**
Providing, laying, supplying and linking of 300mm dia DI line from Ganapathi circle to Nagarabhavi main road due to white topping work taken up by BBMP coming under AEEW-1-2 sub division	Rs. 101.46 lakhs / Rs. 2.00 lakhs
No: BWSSB/EIC/CE(W)/ACE(W)-1/DCE(M)-2/TA(W)/1842/2024-25	**Date:29.07.2024**
Providing and laying 300mm dia DI feeder main and 150 mm dia and 100mm dia Distribution pipeline to replace the existing old leaky water mains due to white topping by BBMP at 1st Main road (Vijayanagar club road) from west of chord road to pipe line road Coming under Hosahalli service station AEEW-1-1sub-division	Rs. 161.81 lakhs / Rs. 2.87 lakhs
No: BWSSB/EIC/CE(W)/ACE(W)-1/DCE(M)-2/TA(W)/1841/2024-25	**Date:29.07.2024**
Providing laying of 300mm of dia RCC NP3 class pipeline at a) from Telephone Exchange Chord to Samudra hotel b) Samudra hotel to Shanimahathma temple (Priyadarshini layout) coming under area of AEEW-1-2 sub division	Rs. 322.16 lakhs / Rs. 5.71 lakhs

For the above works Last date and time for Receipt of tenders will be on **14.08.2024 upto 16.00 hrs**. The bids will be opened on : **16.08.2024 after 15.00 hrs**.

Sd/- Chief Engineer (West)

The detail regarding the tender & participation in the e-procurement portal process can be obtained by logging on to **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in.** For further details contact the above signed office during working hours.

DIPR/CP/1138/Zen/2024-25

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ENDOWMENTS DEPARTMENT

E-TENDER FOR SOFTWARE APPLICATION MAINTENANCE

Rc.No.COE-28/1/2021-EDP IT SEC, **Dt: 09-07-2024**

A.P. Endowments Department is calling for e-Tenders to select a potential agency for Existing Temple Management System Software Application's Maintenance, Modifications / Change Requests & Development of various Modules required from time to time as per the needs of the Endowment Institutions under the purview of A.P. Endowments Department, for a period of 5 Years.

For details please visit **www.apeprocurement.gov.in** (Endowments Department, Tender ID=736630). For any clarifications, contact EDP (IT) Manager (9290080307).

Sd/- Commissioner, Endowments Department

DIPR No.3098PP/CL/ADVT/1/1/2021-22, Dt: 29/07/2024

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA, "e"-PROCUREMENT NOTICE WORKS DEPARTMENT

B-122 E-mail : ceworldbankprojects@gmail.com

Bid Identification No. CE-(Bridges) - 02 / 2024-25

1. The Chief Engineer (Bridges), Odisha on behalf of Governor of Odisha invites percentage rate bid in double covet system in ON-LINE MODE from eligible contractors for construction of Road & Bridge work os detailed below :
2. Nature of work : Rood work
3. No. of work : 01 no.
4. Tender cost : Rs. 10,000.00 (on-line)
5. Class of Contractor : A/ Special Class Contractor
6. Available of bid document in the website : From 10.00 AM of 29.07.2024 to 5.00 PM of 13.08.2024
7. Date of opening of Bid : Dt.14.08.2024 of 11.30 AM
8. The Bidders have to participate in ONLINE bidding only. Further details can be seen from the website : https://tenderodisha.gov.in. Any addendum / corrigendum / cancellation of tender can also be seen in the said website.

Sd/- Chief Engineer, Bridges, Odisha, Bhubaneswar

OIPR- 34174/11/0010/2425

ODISHA RENEWABLE ENERGY DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

Under the Department of Energy Government of Odisha
(ISO 9001:2008 / ISO 14001:2004)
S/59, MANCHESWAR INDUSTRIAL ESTATE
BHUBANESWAR-751010, ODISHA
Website : www.oredaodisha.com, E-mail : ceoreda@oredaorissa.com

CORRIGENDUM-CUM-ADDENDUM

Notice No: 3077 /OREDA Date: 26.07.2024
I-GM-14/2023

CAD-691: Corrigendum along with addendum is issued with necessary amendments and change in schedule of events for the e-tender notice no - 2777, dated 02.07.2024; to provide Security services, cleaning services and Data Entry services to Odisha Renewable Energy Development Agency, Bhubaneswar-751010 on Outsourcing basis vide a Service Contract with specific terms and conditions.

The revised Schedule of events is as mentioned bellow.

1	Date of publication of NIT on E-procurement website and OREDA website	02.07.2024
2	Due date of pre bid query submission through ceoreda@oredaorissa.com	08.07.2024, Time: 5:00 PM
4	Due date and time for submission of online copies of Technical Bid and price bid.	03.08.2024, Time: 5:00 PM
5	Due date and time for submission of hard copies of Technical Bid	06.08.2024, Time: 5:00 PM
6	Tentative date and time for the opening of Technical Bid for both online copies and hard copies, except price bid.	07.08.2024, Time: 3:30 PM
7	Due date and time for the opening of online price bid applicable only for the bidders whose Technical bids shall be responsive.	To be intimate later

Details can be seen from the website www.tenderwizard.com/OREDA or www.oredaorissa.com.

Further corrigendum, if any, will be uploaded in these web-sites only.

OIPR- 04065/11/0014/2425 **Sd/- Chief Executive**

Chola — CHOLAMANDALAM INVESTMENT AND FINANCE COMPANY LIMITED

Corporate Office:- "Chola Crest", C54 & C55, Super B-4, Thiru Vi Ka Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai-600032, Tamil Nadu, India.
Branch Addres:- Municipal No.45, (Old Nos. 45& 45/1), Second Floor, Lalbagh Road, Bangalore-560027. Branch Addres: 1st Floor, Unnathi Arcade, 1st Floor, New No.112, 1st Main Road, 1st Block, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-560010.

POSSESSION NOTICE [Under Rule 8 (1)]

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **M/s. Cholamandalam Investment And Finance Company Limited,** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 hereinafter called the Act and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13[12] read with Rules 3 of the Security Interest [Enforcement] Rules, 2002 issued demand notices calling upon the borrowers, whose names have been indicated in Column [B] below on dates specified in Column [C] to repay the outstanding amount indicated in Column [D] below with interest thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers in particular and the Public in general that the undersigned has **taken possession** of the properties mortgaged with the Company described herein below of the Columns on the respective dates mentioned in Column [E] in exercise of the powers conferred on him under Section 13[4] of the Act read with Rule 8 of the Rules made there under.

The borrowers in particular and the Public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties mentioned below and any such dealings will be subject to the charge of **M/s. Cholamandalam Investment And Finance Company Limited** for an amount mentioned in Column [D] along with interest and other charges.

Under section 13 [8] of the Securitisation Act, the borrowers can redeem the secured asset by payment of the entire outstanding including all costs, charges and expenses before notification of sale.

Sl. No. [A]	Name and Address of Borrower & Loan A/c No. [B]	Date of Demand Notice [C]	Outstanding Amount [D]	Date & Type of Possession [E]
1	**Loan Account No. HE01BAN00000020662:-** **1. Ravikumar Dilip Kumar,** No.533, Amruthahalli, Sahakaranagar, Near Lakshminarayana Temple, Bangalore, Karnataka-560092. **2. Saraswathi V,** No.533, Amruthahalli, Sahakaranagar, Near Lakshminarayana Temple, Bangalore, Karnataka-560092. **3. SLN Enterprises,** No.386, Near Old Police Station, Thotada Muniyappa Layout, Amruthahalli, Bangalore, Karnataka-560092.	10-05-2024	Rs. 40,30,674/- as on 10-05-2024 and interest thereon.	27-07-2024
	Description of the Immovable Property: All that Piece and Parcel of Immovable Property Bearing Old Assessment No.40/1, Present Assessment No.40/5, situated at Amruthahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Now Comes Under BBMP Limits and **Bounded on the: East by:** Property belongs to Venkatesh and Sy.No.40/1, **West by:** Road, **North by:** Property of Shilpa and Radhika, **South by:** Remaining Portion of the Property allotted to Chandrashekar. S/Releasor. Measuring as East to West: 64.83 Feet and North to South 31.05 Feet Total Measuring 2042 Square Feet, along with Building constructed thereon.			
2	**Loan Account No. HE01RJJ00000037788:-** **1. Sasi Payillil Kumar,** No.309, 11th Crs Winn Freld Gardens, Dr. S.K.Nagar Bus Stop, Bangalore, Karnataka-560077. **2. Govindan Nair,** No.309, 11th Crs Winn Freld Gardens, Dr. S.K.Nagar Bus Stop, Bangalore, Karnataka-560077. **3. Melekara Kunnath Ramani,** No.309, 11th Crs Winn Freld Gardens Dr. S.K.Nagar Bus Stop, Bangalore, Karnataka-560077. **4. Johanna Joshua,** No.309, 11th Crs Winn Freld Gardens, Dr. S.K.Nagar Bus Stop, Bangalore, Karnataka-560077. **5. Urban Dynamics,** No.309, 11th Crs Winn Freld Gardens, Dr. S.K.Nagar Bus Stop, Bangalore, Karnataka 560077.	10-05-2024	Rs. 44,99,636/- as on 10-05-2024 and interest thereon.	27-07-2024
	Description of the Immovable Property: All that Piece and Parcel of Property Bearing Site No.13, V.P.Katha No.40, Assessment No.40/3, situated at Nagawara Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, presently within the Limits of BBMP thereon and **Bounded on: East by:** Site No.12, **West by:** 25 Feet Wide Road, **North by:** Society Layout, **South by:** Site No.14, Measuring East to West 30 Feet, and North to South 40 Feet, in All Measuring 1200 Square Feet, along with Building constructed.			

Date: 30-07-2024 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place: Bangalore **M/s. Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited**

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public is hereby notified that my client **Smt. G.K. Mangalamma** is the sole and absolute owner of the schedule Property.

The Original Sale deed dated 23.02.1994 registered as document No.7889/1993-94 Book-I, Volume No.4813 Pages 299-300 in the office of the Sub registrar, Bengaluru North Taluk in respect of Property bearing Site No.171, Formed in Sy. No.43/2, Swattina No. 714, 714/1, 714/2, 714/3, Situated at Sreegandhadakaval Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru, measuring East to West 30 feet, North to South 40 feet, in all measuring 1200 Sq. Ft. is misplaced/lost by client. In this connection, a police complaint has been lodged on 29/07/2024 vide Acknowledgement of Police Complaint vide Lost Report No.1167989/2024.

Any Person finds the document may handover the same to the undersigned within **15 days** from this day. If the said document is misused by anybody, it shall not be binding on our client and he/she shall not be binding on our client and he/she shall be doing so at him /their own costs and risks.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing Site No.171, Formed in Sy.No.43/2, Swattina No.714, 714/1, 714/2, 714/3, formed by Sreegandhadakaval Vasathi Rahithara Sangha, Situated at Sreegandhadakaval Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru, measuring East to West 30 feet, North to South 40 feet, in all measuring 1200 Sq. Ft. and bounded on: **East by :** Site No.170, **West by :** Site No.172, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Site No.192

Aswath .B, Advocate
#36 (317/C), 9th A Main, 40th Cross
5th Block Jayanagara, Bangalore -560041
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BEFORE THE HON'BLE DRAT AT CHENNAI

AIR No. 1840 of 2023

The Authorised Officer,
Asset Recovery Management Branch,
Sree Subramanyeswara Cooperative Bank Limited,
Rajatha Bhavan, 106, R.V.Road,
Visveswarapuram, Bengaluru,
Karnataka-560004 ...Appellant

VS

1. Jose Rajesh,
2. Sunu Jose Rajesh,
3. Dayananda Hegde,
4. M/s.Regency Engineers and Builders (Represented by its Managing Partner, MJ Jai Prakash, S/o. Jeji Gowda), 8/9, 18th A Cross, Bhuvaneshwari Nagar, HA Farm P.O, Bangalore, Karnataka-560024
5. Chaya Channakeshava
...Respondents

To

4. M/s.Regency Engineers and Builders, (Represented by its Managing Partner, MJ Jai Prakash, S/o. Jeji Gowda), 8/9, 18th A Cross, Bhuvaneshwari Nagar, HA Farm P.O, Bangalore, Karnataka- 560 024

NOTICE

Please take notice that the above AIR No.1840/2023 was listed before the Hon'ble DRAT, Chennai on **15.07.2024.** Since the 4th Respondent did not enter appearance on the said date, the Hon'ble DRAT has directed Notice by paper publication to you returnable by **08/08/2024.**

Please take notice and enter appearance either in person or through your counsel on the said date, failing which the above Appeal will be heard in your absence.

S. Indumathi Ravi
Counsel For Appellant
Chennai

IN THE COURT OF THE XXXII ADDL. CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE COURT AT BENGALURU
C.MISC.No. 1036/2024

BETWEEN: 1) Smt. Shivamma W/o. Late Mahadevappa, Aged about 53 years residing at No.6/6 (Near Bramhagiri Apartments) 1st Main Road, 24th Cross Road, Malagala, Bengaluru-560072 **2) Smt. Shashikala** W/o. Swamy D/o. Late Mahadevappa, Aged aobut 48 years, residing at No.274/64, Malagala,I Nagarabhavi Bengaluru-560072 **3) Smt. Putta Gowramma** W/o Krishna D/o. Late Mahadevappa aged about 38 years Residing at No. 951/3 (Near Bramhagiri Apartments) 1st Main Road, 24th Cross Road, Malagala, Bengaluru-560072. **4) Smt. Sukanya** W/o Jai Ram D/o. Late Mahadevappa aged about 38 years, Residing at Begur Village and post, Antharasanthe Hobli, H.D. Kote Taluk, Mysuru District-571 116 **5) Smt Sunitha B.M** W/o. Mahesha. G.P D/o. Late Mahadevappa, aged about 36 years Residing at Gejjalagere Village and post, Maddur Taluk, Mandya District-571428.

PETITIONERS

AND: 1) The Commissioner THE REGISTRAR OF BIRTHS & DEATHS, BBMP, N.R. Square, Bengaluru 2) **Medical officer of Health and Register of Birth and Death BBMP, Nagarbhavi, Bengaluru**

...RESPONDENT

PAPER PUBLICATION

Whereas, the petitioner or named above has filed the above petition seeking direction to register the date of death of the deceased who is the husband of petitioner No.1 and father of petitioner No.2 to 5 by name **MAHADEVAPPA,** S/o Marlingaiah who was died on **14.01.2019** at No.E/70, Government School Road, Malagala, Vishwaneedam Post, Bengaluru North, B Bengaluru and issue the direction accordingly for the death certificate.

It is required to produce the same before the concerned authorities for the purpose of getting Death Certificate/ and other government facilities.

Any person interested and having any objection in this matter, may appear before the above court at 11.00 a.m. on to which date the case is posted for hearing.

Kindly permit the paper publication in Kannada and English news Papers.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court this 25th day of July 2024.

By order of the court
Sheristedar, XXXII, A.C.M.M. Court Bengaluru

Advocate for Petitioner: **B.V. Vidyulatha,** Advocate, No.8, 8th Main, CHBS Layout Vijayangar, Bengaluru-560040

IN THE COURT OF DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-1,
BSNL Building 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru- 560 001

O.A. No. 186/2023

Between:HDFC Bank Limited. ...Applicant

And:

Rashmi Construction Company & Others ...Defendants

To: **1. Rashmi Construction Company ,** Represented by its Proprietor Sri K. S. Someshwara Reddy, No. 29, Sonal Residency, New Thippasandra, Bangalore - 560 075.

SUMMONS ISSUED TO DEFENDANTS UNDER RULE 23(VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES 1993 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

WHEREAS, the Applicant has instituted an application Under Section 19, of the Recovery of Debts due to Banks and Financial Institutions act, 1993, against you for recovery of a sum of **Rs.81,55,415/-** (Eighty One Lakhs Fifty Five Thousand Four Hundred Fifteen Rupees Only) amount together with current and future interest, cost and other relief's.

The above Defendants are required to appear therefore hereby directed to appear before the Tribunal in person or through an Advocate or duly instructed in support of their defence to show cause on **29/10/2024 at 10:30 a.m.** as to why the relief's prayed for should not be granted.

Take notice that in case of default, the application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of the Tribunal this the **21st day of May 2024.**

By Order of the Tribunal
Sd/- Asst. Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal - I Bangalore

AJMER VIDYUT VITRAN NIGAM LIMITED

Corporate Identification Number (CIN) – U40109RJ2000SGC016482
Registerd Office: VidyutBhawan, Panchsheel Nagar, Makarwali Road, Ajmer-305004
Office of The Superintending Engineer (Civil)
Email-secivilavvnl@gmail.com ; http ://energy.rajasthan.gov.in/avvnl

No. : AVVNL/SE/CIVIL/AJM/FC: D : 807 Date : 26/07/2024

ई-निविदा सूचना संख्या 03 (2024-25)

केन्द्र / राज्य सरकार के विभागों में 'ए' व 'एए' श्रेणी तथा अ.वि.वि.नि.लि. के उपयुक्त श्रेणी में पंजीकृत, अनुभवी तथा माल एवं सेवाकर विभाग से पंजीकृत निविदाकारों से अधिशाषी अभियंता (सिविल / सिविल-QC), अजमेर / उदयपुर / सीकर / चित्तौडगढ के अधीन सिविल कार्यों के लिए निविदाऐं **UBN No. AVV2425WSOB00146, AVV2425WSOB00147, AVV2425WSOB00149 to AVV2425WSOB00161, AVV2425WSOB00163 to AVV2425WSOB00172, AVV2425WSOB00174 to AVV2425WSOB00194, AVV2425WSOB00196 to AVV2425WSOB00205** आमन्त्रित की जाती है। निविदा सम्बन्धित समस्त विवरण वेबसाईट **http://eproc.rajasthan.gov.in, http://sppp.rajasthan.gov.in** व **http://energy.rajasthan.gov.in/avvnl** पर उपलब्ध है।

हस्ता./सी/24/2929 अधीक्षण अभियन्ता (सिविल)

CANARA BANK
ARM-1 BRANCH
2nd Floor, No.86, Spencer Tower, M.G. Road Bangalore-560001
PH: 080-25310096 / 25589642, E-mail: cb2366@canarabank.com

CORRIGENDUM

In Reference to the Sale Notice Published on **27.07.2024** in this Newspaper pertaining to the **Borrowers: (1) Mr.Abdul Rahiman, (2) Mrs.Nasima Abdul Rahiman, (3) Mr.P B Abdul Azeez (4) Mrs. P B Zeenath,** In the Notice, **the 3rd Property:** Volvo Asphalt Compactor Model Dd100 (Reserve Price: ₹.4.05 Lakhs & EMD Amount: ₹.0.41 Lakhs & Incremental value at Bid: ₹.0.05 Lakhs) and **the 4th Property:** Case 770 Ex Magnum with Excavator cum Dozer (Reserve Price:₹.6.10 Lakhs & EMD Amount: ₹.0.61 Lakhs & Incremental value at Bid: ₹.0.05 Lakhs). Both of these properties are not available for sale and all other content remains unchanged.

Date : 29.07.2024 Sd/- Authorised Officer
Place : Bangalore Canara Bank

IN THE COURT OF THE LXXV ADDL. CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE, CCH-76, AT BANGALORE

O.S.NO.972 of 2020

BETWEEN :

BANK OF BARODA, Kengeri Branch, Devaraj Arash layout, No.7 & 8 Kengeri Main Road, Nagadevanahalli, Banglore-560056. ...Plaintiff

AND

M/s. Vijayalakshmi Mahila Swa Sahaya Sangha and others ...Defendants

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANTS NO 1 TO 14 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

1. M/s. Vijayalakshmi Mahila Swa Sahaya Sangha, Represented by the its President, No.278/65, 2nd Main Road, 9th Cross, Prakash Nagar, Bangalore-560021.
2. M/s. Suprabha Educational and Charitable Trust® Represented by its Managing Trustees: Ms.Prathima No.189, 5th Cross, Chowdeshwari Nagar, Laggere, Bengaluru - 560058.
3. Smt.Vijayalakshmi, No.278, 2nd Main Road, 9th Cross, Prakash Nagar, Bangalore-560021.
4. Smt. Susheelamma.N, No.105, 7th Main, 5th Cross, C. N. Puram, Bangalore-560021.
5. Smt. Saraswathi, No. 98, 1st Cross, 4th Main, Malleshwaram, Bangalore-560003.
6. Smt. Ammu.N, No. 450, 6th Cross, Swathanthra Palya, Gandhi Nagar, Bangalore-560021.
7. Smt. K.Deepa, No.95, 4th Cross, Nagappa, Bangalore - 560033.
8. Smt. K. Vimala, No.98, Maharaj Mill Huts, Vallyarapuram, Malleshwaram, Bangalore-560003.
9. Smt. Shanthi. J, No.239, 2nd Main, 7th Cross, Prakash Nagar, Bangalore.
10. Smt. S.Latha, No.27/3, 7th Cross, Dayanandanagar, Bangalore - 560021.
11. Smt. Shanthi. P, No. 37, New Municipal, 2nd Main, Sri Rampura, Bangalore-560021.
12. Smt. Pavithra. P, No. 239, 7th Cross, 2nd Main, Prakash Nagar, Bangalore- 560021.
13. Smt. K.C.Kowshalya, No.119, 4th Main, 13th Cross, L.N. Puram, Bangalore-560021.
14. Smt. Aarathi, No.C 52, 1st Main, Dayanandanagar, Bangalore-560021.

...Defendants

WHEREAS, the above-named Plaintiff has filed the above suit seeking recovery of money of **Rs.2,11,696/-** With interest at the rate of 9.55% P.A due to the Plaintiff Bank. The Defendants above named are hereby warned to appear in this court in person or by pleader duly instructed on the **2nd September 2024, at 11.00 a.m** to answer the questions to the same, failing wherein the matter will be heard and determined exparte.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court, this day of **26th July, 2024.**

By Order of the Court
Senior Sheristedar
City Civil Court, Bengaluru

Advocate Address:
Srinivasa.S,
Advocate, No.16, Ground Floor,
1st Cross Road, Near Dhanvantari Vana,
Jnanabharathi, Mariyappanpalya,
Bangalore-560056.

HDB FINANCIAL SERVICES — HDB Financial Services Ltd.

Registered Office:- Radhika, 2nd Floor, Law Garden Road, Navrangpura, Ahamedabad-09.
Regional Office:- Ground Floor, Zenith House, Opposite Race Course, Mahalakshmi, Mumbai-34.
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AUCTION SALE NOTICE CUM E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE

(To the Borrower /Co-Applicant / Public in General)
(Under Rule 8(6) R/w with Rule 9 (1) of SARFAESI Act, 2002)

The undersigned Authorized Officer of **HDB Financial Services Ltd,** has taken over Possession of the following property on **06-05-2022,** under Securitisation and Reconstruction of the Financial Assets & Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002, for the below mentioned loan account with a right to sell the same on **"AS IS WHERE IS BASIS & AS IS WHAT IS BASIS".**

Name and Address of the Applicant & Co-Applicant: 1.Naveen Harish Kalra, 2. S.K.Harish Kumar, Above 1 & 2 are R/o, Flat No.S-E, 2nd Floor, SLV Pearl Apts., Kenchanahalli, R.R Nagar, Bangalore-98. **Loan Account No.672607**

Total Outstanding Amount: Rs.3,77,48,676/- (Rupees Three Crore Seventy Seven Lakh Forty Eight Thousand Six Hundred and Seventy Six Only) as on 27-07-2024, with further interest/incidental expenses /costs till the date of full payment.

Details of Encumbrances, if any, known to the Secured Creditor: --- NIL

DETAILS OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES:

Item No.1: All the piece and parcel of residential corner site No.30, situated at Kenchanahalli Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Tq, Bangalore-98,private layout formed by Remco (BHEL) House Building Co-operative Society Ltd. Measuring East to West: (60+59)/2 and North to South: 60 ft. **Bounded on: East by:** Road, **West by:** Site No.29, **North by:** Site No.09, **South by:** Road.

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Schedule 'B' Property:- (Description of properties undivided share hereby conveyed) An undivided share of right,title and interest and ownership in the schedule 'A' property measuring to an extent of 365.793 sft.

Schedule 'C' Property:- (Description of Apartment hereby Conveyed) All the piece and parcel of residential Apartment Flat no S-E,2nd Floor, SLV Pearl, constructed in 'A' Schedule property and apartment flat measuring 1510 Sq.ft. of super built up area, along with one car parking space provided in the basement floor.

Los No.	Borrower Name	Reserve Price	EMD Amount	Bid Incremental Amount	Auction Date & Time	EMD Last Date & Time
672607	Naveen Harish Kalra	Rs.69,84,360/-	Rs.6,98,436/-	Rs.1,00,000/-	21-08-2024 11 am to 12 noon	20-08-2024 up to 5:00 pm

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1. The auction sale shall be "online e-auction" bidding through website https://www.

Triathlon at Seine under scanner

Organisers cancelled a second day of triathlon training in the River Seine on Monday due to water pollution, increasing uncertainty over whether the men's and women's races will go ahead as scheduled in the coming days. The men's race is set to take place on Tuesday.

Despite playing at Roland Garros, Nadal's stomping ground for the majority of the last 20 years, former World No 1 goes down to Djokovic 6-1, 6-4 to bow out of singles event

IN NADAL'S TEMPLE, A STRUGGLE

The match against Djokovic might have been Nadal's last at Roland Garros | AP/AFP

NUMBERS THAT MATTER

112-4	14	0	31-29
In the French Open, Nadal has a 112-4 record	Nadal is a 14-time French Open champion	Djokovic is still searching for his first Olympic gold (he has a bronze)	Djokovic now leads the head-to-head 31-29

CERTAIN emotions can only be felt, not described. Rafael Nadal was a shadow of who he used to be – like an overused Rolls Royce engine trying to outrun a Ferrari (in this case, not a brand new one). On the other side of the net was one of tennis' most destructive of beasts - Novak Djokovic. As soon as the men's singles draw was out, a potential second-round match between these two GOAT contenders had become one of the most talked about events of the Games because of the emotion and the romance it entails. It also brings us to another reality: Nadal is close to retirement.

Yet, Nadal is still the beloved son of Paris. Watching him play at Roland Garros is akin to a pilgrimage. No matter which way the pradakshina (circumambulation) takes you at the venue, you feel a deep sense of reverence for all those immortal moments oenacted on this cathedral of tennis. 'Raafaaa, Rafa' chants are holy prayers.

Court Philippe Chatrier is the sanctum sanctorum, its red clay surface having witnessed some of his greatest performances and triumphs. That hallowed red clay was, on Monday, stage to the latest chapter in one of the greatest rivalries in tennis. Nadal - Paris' own who was handed the ultimate honour of carrying the Olympic torch - versus Djokovic, who has more Grand Slams to his name than any man in history. It was not about the winner, for Nadal is a shadow of his illustrious former self. It was about savouring a moment that may not come again.

The crowd came in droves. They were there hours before Nadal and Djokovic entered the centre court. All seats were occupied and the stage waited with bated breath for the two illusionists. For any sports enthusiast, this was something that was not to be missed - meeting number 60 between two of the best ever. The two have more singles Grand Slams than any man. Nadal, however, has gold in the Olympics which Djokovic doesn't. When Iga Swiatek rolled over local girl Diane Parry, the crowd stood up and remained there. It was now time for two of the greatest to make their way on to the grandest stage. The watering men settled the dust, even as the announcer tried to engage the crowd.

Arguably, the match was more about Nadal and his legend. The Spaniard has won 14 Grand Slams here and is a face of the city. Even if he never plays here again, he has firmly written himself into Paris' folklore. Nadal's statue inside the premises will stand as a testimony to his greatness.

Just the name was enough as the whole stadium roared. 'Ladies and gentleman, former world No 1 Rafaeeel Nadaaaal' the announcer hollered. Djokovic too evoked a great deal of adulation but the roar was definitely reserved for Nadal, whose right thigh was heavily strapped. His movement was laboured. Yet, in the second set, he did show glimpses of his greatness between shake of heads and gestures of exasperations. In the mixed zone too he did not give any hint about retirement. He did say that the warm weather was good for him. "But the game also showed that I am not ready to play at this high level and I want to congratulate the opponent (Djokovic) for he surely was (playing at this level)," said Nadal.

Then he turned philosophical while answering what he would miss when he quits playing. "I will miss playing competitive tennis. But then that is life. I have been playing tennis almost all my life, and I like what I do. But then... what begins has to end," he said.

Djokovic was wearing knee support as he had just comeback from a surgery just before the French Open. It was like two wounded and aged tigers fighting over territorial supremacy.

Nadal is slowly walking into the sunset. The beloved player is no longer the gladiator he was even two years ago, when he won this event. Injuries are flirting with his physique, and he seems to be spending more time in operation theatres than on the court these days. Before the Olympics, he was not sure if he would play singles here. But, perhaps, inspired by the words etched on the sides of the court - "Victory Belongs to the most tenacious" – Nadal found it in himself to make what probably could be his last professional comeback.

Nadal lost but it was not about the match. It was about celebrating a journey. When Nadal won the gold in 2008 (singles; he also won doubles eight years later), he was the first among equals, with Roger Federer and Djokovic was only starting to emerge as the challenger.

Scoreline fair reflection

The greatest player on clay struggled. He was unable to continue rallies and close out points. One of his most potent weapons — the ability to retrieve from any part of the court — is slowly deserting him. He is not getting the top spin that he would have liked, sailing balls over the line more often than not. The lack of match practice was evident. The scoreline reflected his declining hold on clay too. Not a sight for his believers.

This also is the reality of life. There will be a day when those grunts of Nadal will no longer be heard on the court anymore. And that day is not far off!

Ordeal of fourth-place finish hits shooter Babuta

INDRANEEL DAS @ Paris

Arjun Babuta gestures after finishing fourth in the 10m air rifle men's final | AP

THEY call it the ordeal or the curse of the fourth finish. One can be on the podium or last but the fourth is called the worst of all. It will torment the athletes throughout their life. Ask any Indian athlete — the great Milkha Singh, PT Usha, Joydeep Karmakar to Dipa Karmakar — it will draw the same answer.

Arjun Babuta has joined the dreaded list on Monday. Just need to prod him a bit he would say this was the 'worst' moment (a fourth finish in an Olympics!) and no one can prepare for this. All his efforts to qualify for the final and his immaculate shots in the final prior to the last will be forgotten. Living with the curse of fourth finish is perhaps the worst an athlete can endure.

"Fourth hone ka dukh bhi ho raha jyada (I am sad for finishing fourth)," was what Babuta said after the men's 10m air rifle final. He couldn't hold back the tears and broke down as well. "It is the worst feeling," he said "One tends to think if one has given 100 per cent or not. Whether there was any shortcoming. But in the final here I have given everything and I am proud of it. Maybe that luck eluded me," he said, slipping out of the third position with a 9.6 in the last shot. "There is a fight raging with counter thoughts after the finish. Eventually, I have to tell myself that I have given 100 per cent." Babuta did not know the reason. He will never know. Not finishing in the top 3 could be attributed to luck as well and that is the best he would want to believe.

Earlier, it was almost going to be that one more perfect day at the Chateauroux shooting centre, some 300 km from the French capital. Babuta has struggled quite a bit in his life. From collapsing during training due to a bulged disk to recovery and trying weird things to get into shape during the Covid pandemic lockdown, he did everything to get into the India team. He knows a bit about resilience too. Just before Covid, he collapsed at the shooting ranges and a doctor even predicted he would no longer be able to shoot.

Yet, on a sunny day, when he needed a steady mind and hands, it deserted him in the last elimination shot. His 9.6 was enough to relegate him to the fourth spot — the worst of places to finish at the Olympics. He was ahead of the bronze medal winner, Croatia's Miran Maricic, for most of the final but the last couple of shots pushed him out. Shooting can be cruel. The gold went to China's Sheng Lihao, who never seemed to miss the target, that's a blur pinpoint for normal spectators. Victor Lindgren of Sweden won the silver.

"I did try my best – right from preparation to qualification to the final. Maybe it was not enough. I don't know this right now but my coaches will let me know if I need to improve," he said. Babuta had been a fighter and he certainly will fight this demon as well. He believes that the fourth finish will make him stronger.

The story of Ramita Jindal in the women's final too was of heartbreak, but not as severe as Babuta's. She too started off well but fizzled out as the series progressed. She finally finished seventh. But after the Tokyo low for Indian shooting whatever the shooters are doing at the ranges seems a big lift.

4TH-PLACE FINISHERS

Arjun Babuta added to India's ever-growing list of finishing fourth at the Olympics. A look at some of the previous 4th place finishers...

Milkha Singh	1960 Rome
PT Usha	1984 LA
Joydeep Karmakar	2012 London
Dipa Karmakar, Abhinav Bindra and Sania Mirza/ Rohan Bopanna	2016 Rio
Women's hockey team	2021 Tokyo
Aditi Ashok	2021 Tokyo

MANU EYES ANOTHER MEDAL

All eyes will be on Manu Bhaker as she chases to be one of the most decorated female Indian athletes at the ranges. She and teammate Sarabjot Singh entered the bronze medal play-off in the 10m air pistol mixed team on Monday. The final will be played on Tuesday. It is remarkable how she recovered from the bronze medal revelry on Sunday to wake up and start the competition anew. A big relief and burden off her shoulder made her chase more glory with ease. The demons are no longer wailing in the brain and she is focussed on another medal in the final range.

1 If the team of Manu and Sarabjot medal, the former will become the first Indian to win multiple medals at a single Olympics

WHAT'S ON AT THE RANGE

- Manu and Sarabjot will be in action in a bronze-medal playoff against Korea in the 10m air pistol.
- Prithviraj Tondaiman will have to do a lot of catching up if he's to advance in trap. After Day 1 of qualification, he's 30th with 68 out of 75.
- Shreyasi Singh and Rajeshwari Kumari will begin their qualification campaign in women's trap.

FORMAT

- Race to 16 points
- One shot per shooter in each round in a 50-second window.
- Team with highest combined score are allotted points per round. Two points per round in case of a win or one point in case of a tie.
- If both teams are on 16, match continues till there's a clear winner.

Argentine flavour in the middle of Paris

INDRANEEL DAS @ Paris

HOW would you feel if you suddenly see Argentine right in the middle of Paris? Well, bizarre. There is only one Argentina – land of Messi and Maradona. There is one such metropolitan station close to the Paris media centre. It is supposed to be the extended arm of Champs de Elysees and close to Arc de Tromphe. Yet, it is not the location that riled one of our visiting friends. The station had names of famous people but there was no Maradona or Messi. It is interesting that the station was originally named as Obligado in commemoration of the Battle of Vuelta de Obligado, where Anglo-French forces overpowered the Argentine Confederation in 1845. But after the country helped them with supplies during the World War II, things changed and they named it Argentine. However, Juan Manuel Fangio was there (former F1 racer).

If Argentine was steeped in bonhomie and culture of a nation that's thousands of miles away across the Atlantic, the Louvre-Rivoli underground station is one of the most elegant stations in the world. Such is the historical opulence that one might even miss the train going through the art of antiquity. The theme is of course history and mostly from Egypt. There is an Egyptian Pharaoh, the Venus de Milo and Diane de Gabies. Egyptian Goddess Sekhmet too finds a place.

Egyptian Goddess Sekhmet | EXPRESS

India at the Games (IST)

SHOOTING: TRAP MEN'S QUALIFICATION
12.30 PM: Prithviraj Tondaiman

TRAP WOMEN'S QUALIFICATION
12.30 PM: Shreyasi Singh and Rajeshwari Kumari

10M AIR PISTOL MIXED TEAM BRONZE MEDAL MATCH: **1 PM:** Manu Bhaker and Sarabjot Singh

HOCKEY: **4.45 PM:** Men's Team

ARCHERY: WOMEN'S INDIVIDUAL
5.15 PM onwards: Ankita Bhakat and Bhajan Kaur

MEN'S INDIVIDUAL:
10.45 PM: Dhiraj Bommadevara

BADMINTON: MEN'S DOUBLES GROUP STAGE: **5.30 PM:** Satwiksairaj Rankireddy and Chirag Shetty

WOMEN'S DOUBLES GROUP STAGE
6.20 PM: Ashwini Ponnappa and Tanisha Crasto

BOXING: MEN'S 51 KG
7.15 PM: Amit Panghal

WOMEN'S 57 KG
9.25 PM: Jaismine Lamboria

WOMEN'S 54KG
1.20 AM: Preeti Pawar

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MEDALS (till 12:00am)

1	Japan	6(G)	2(S)	4(B)
2	China	5	3	2
3	S Korea	5	3	1
3	France	4	7	3
5	Australia	4	3	0
T25	India	0	0	1

INTERNATIONAL EVENTS TO LOOK FORWARD TO

Diving: Women's synchronised 10m platform final

Artistic gymnastics: Men's All-Around final

Swimming: Women's 1500m freestyle final

Diver Daley leaves door open for 2028 Los Angeles Olympics

AFP @ Paris

BRITISH diver Tom Daley refused to rule out competing at a sixth Olympics on Monday, saying 2028 would be a "second home Games" for the now Los Angeles resident. The 30-year-old won silver in Paris with partner Noah Williams in the 10m synchronised platform to give him a fifth medal in five Olympics.

Daley gave up diving for two years after winning gold in Tokyo in 2021 but he returned to the pool at the request of his six-year-old son Robbie. Daley stressed that he would take some time to decide his future, but he said "you never know" if another Olympic appearance in LA was a possibility. "They might be adding different events into the Games in LA. I live in LA now so it could be a chance to do a second home Olympic Games," he said. "But right now I just want to enjoy this moment." Daley and Williams finished second behind China's Lian Junjie and Yang Hao.

SEINE FROM PARIS

Hashimoto steals gold for Japan

DAIKI Hashimoto conjured up some late magic to help Japan win Olympic men's team gymnastics gold as arch-rivals China crumbled with the title within their grasp. For Japan this was a record-extending eighth team title. The United States took bronze. China led the competition from the off but a major slip-up in the final rotation gave Japan, one of the favourites for gold before the final began, a small window of opportunity.

INDIA ROUND-UP

Harmanpreet's buzzer-beater gives team big lifeline

ENS/AGENCIES @ Paris

HARMANPREET Singh saved his best for last as an error-prone India left it late to salvage a point against Argentina in their second group game. The men's hockey team, who secured the points in the opening game against New Zealand with less than 120 seconds on the clock, were once again below par against on Monday.

Argentina, the 2016 champions in Rio de Janeiro, drew first blood in the 22nd minute via Lucas Martinez. With the game in danger of slipping away, India even removed Sreejesh from the scene as they went in search of a leveller in the final quarter. It finally came via Harmanpreet's smartly taken corner, a daisy-cutter which beat the Argentine rushers and keeper for pace before sounding the board.

Lakshya off the mark, again

Lakshya Sen put Sunday's disheartening news to one side as he beat Julien Carraggi 21-19, 21-14 in what was essentially a must-not-lose match. Sen had already won one match in Group L but after Kevin Cordon withdrew, this group had become a three-man group, with only one going through. With Jonathan Cristie's win over Carraggi earlier in the week, Sen could ill-afford any hangover from Cordon's withdrawal. Meanwhile, the men's doubles pair of Satwiksairaj Rankireddy and Chirag Shetty advanced to the quarterfinals,

India skipper Harmanpreet Singh (2nd from left) celebrates with teammates | PTI

first time a men's doubles pair have achieved that. They play their last group stage game on Tuesday. Earlier, Ashwini Ponnappa and Tanisha Crasto suffered their second consecutive group stage defeat in the women's doubles badminton competition. They lost 11-21, 12-21 to the Japanese duo of Nami Matsuyama and Chiharu Shida.

Archers' horror run continues

After the pathetic performance by the women's team in quarterfinal on Sunday, the men also came a cropper on Monday. Tarundeep Rai, Dhiraj Bommadevara and Pravin Jadhav came up woefully short against a fired up Turkish team to be knocked out 2-6 in the quarterfinals of the men's team event.

Bopanna calls it quits

Doubles specialist Rohan Bopanna declared that he would no longer be turning up for India after losing in the opening round of the men's doubles match of the tennis event.

India to host Asia Cup in 2025, B'desh in 2027

India will host the next edition of the men's Asia Cup cricket tournament in T20 format in 2025 as a pre-cursor to the T20 World Cup, the Asian Cricket Council stated. The 2027 Asia Cup will be held in ODI format in Bangladesh. Both events will comprise of 13 games each as there are 26 matches allocated in the said period.

Marchand celebrates after winning men's 400m individual medley final | AP

AMID CHANTS OF 'LEON', MARCHAND HAS HIS MOMENT

Comparisons with Michael Phelps will grow after Frenchman delivers in the 400m medley

LEON Marchand carried the comparisons to Michael Phelps and the hopes of a nation on his broad shoulders. The 22-year-old Frenchman handled it all with ease, setting himself up to be one of the biggest stars of the Paris Olympics. With a flag-waving crowd cheering his every stroke, Marchand delivered a swimming gold for France with a dominating victory in the men's 400-meter individual medley on Sunday night.

Marchand was ahead as soon as his head popped from the water and he steadily pulled away from the field in what was essentially two separate races: Marchand going against the clock and everyone else competing for silver and bronze.

"I started very, very fast," he said. "I didn't look at the other lanes. I was focused on myself." Marchand was under world-record pace on the final turn but faded a bit coming home, touching in 4 minutes, 2.95 seconds — an Olympic record, but just shy of his own world mark of 4:02.50. Marchand claimed that vaunted standard at last year's world championships in Japan, erasing the record held by Phelps for 15 years.

Not surprisingly, the young Frenchman has been mentioned frequently as the next Phelps — especially since he guided by the same coach, American Bob Bowman, who was with the most decorated athlete in Olympic history throughout his career.

Marchand lived up to those staggering expectations, for one night at least, and Phelps was in the building to witness it all as a member of NBC's broadcast team. Marchand was a bit delayed getting to the interview area. Turns out, he had to take a phone call — from French President Emmanuel Macron. "He said that he watched the race with all of his family and they all screamed when I won," Marchand said.

Not long after Marchand walked off deck, Torri Huske knocked off world-record holder Gretchen Walsh in the women's 100 butterfly, using a strong finish to get her hands to the wall just ahead of her teammate in a 1-2 finish for the United States. The favourite went out with her usual strategy: start fast and try to hold on. It worked at the U.S. trials, where she set her world record of 55.18 last month, and she was under record pace at the turn. But Huske chased her down in the race that really mattered. The winner touched in 55.59 — about the length of a finger ahead of Walsh's time of 55.63. When Huske saw the "1" beside her name of the scoreboard, she reached across the lane rope to give Walsh a hug while breaking down in tears.

"I feel like there was a lot of pressure on me," Walsh said. "It was definitely a fight to the finish and seeing the 1-2 up there was amazing. I'm so proud of Torri. I'm proud of myself." Of course, on Day 2 of swimming, everyone was playing second fiddle to Marchand. La Defense Arena was packed with more than 15,000 fans, many of them with their faces painted in the blue, white and red of the tricolore.

Chants of "Léon! Léon!" and an impromtu rendition of "La Marseillaise" broke out in the rugby stadium a full 15 minutes before Marchand walked on deck for the first final of evening. "It's quite difficult to describe everything because it's incredible for a swimmer to have this atmosphere in the pool," Marchand said. "How could you not smile when you're in front of 15,000 people? I want to thank the French people who came tonight." Marchand trained in the US while attending Arizona State University, came through to capture the first gold medal. "I was really proud of what I did tonight," he said. "I'm going to enjoy it tonight, then I'm going to relax because I have seven or eight days left." Marchand had to wait for everyone else to finish, then he climbed on the lane rope and pumped his fist for the crowd that packed a stadium normally used by rugby club Racing 92.

An appropriate venue for this performance. No one raced faster than Marchand. *AP*

Dravid defends US leg of T20 WC

AGENCIES @ Paris

FORMER India head coach Rahul Dravid has defended the heavily-criticised US leg of last month's T20 World Cup, saying that "playing at odd hours" and coping with "challenging" facilities were necessary "compromises" to take cricket to a larger audience.

Given the huge effort involved in conducting the event in the region, Dravid said he was fine with the 10.30AM (local time) starts and the infrastructure used for the games in New York, Florida and Texas.

"Yes, in terms of facilities, it's challenging. But if you want to grow the sport and make it a global game, then you have to be at events like this and make compromises, even if it means playing at odd hours in conditions that might not necessarily be perfect," Dravid said in a panel discussion on 'Cricket at the Olympics: Dawn of a New Era', celebrating the sport's inclusion in the 2028 Los Angeles Games, here on Sunday.

Former India head coach Rahul Dravid at India House in Paris | PTI

Dravid coached India to their first ICC title in 11 years in the tournament hosted jointly by the USA and the West Indies, where the knockout matches were played.

The USA hosting a cricketing showpiece for the first time was seen as a stepping stone to building a fan base in the region ahead of the Los Angeles Olympics. But, in order to also cater to the huge audience in the subcontinent, all India matches were held at 10.30AM, which attracted a bit of criticism as it was felt that local Americans were not taken into consideration.

On Olympic debut

An ardent supporter of cricket's inclusion in the Olympics, Dravid says the "serious dressing room conversations" that he has heard indicate that players are going to "fight tooth and nail" to be there at the world's biggest sporting event.

"People are going to want to win that gold medal, stand on the podium, and be a part of the Games Village, a great sporting event, and interact with so many athletes. As you get closer, I have no doubt that teams will be preparing and checking out facilities. They will take this seriously, and players will fight tooth and nail to be out there," he said.

India eye clean sweep

INDIA HAVE SECURED THE T20I SERIES AND WILL LOOK TO COMPLETE THE CLEAN SWEEP AGAINST SRI LANKA TODAY. A LOOK...

India keep finding ways in the T20Is

Despite a fightback from Pathum Nissanka, India found a way to win the first T20I comfortably. In the rain-curtailed second match, bowlers made the most of their chances before the experience of Suryakumar Yadav and Hardik Pandya sealed the series. The new Indian management of Yadav and coach Gautam Gambhir, would hope the same in the final T20I of the series.

Will real Asalanka please stand up?

After multiple injury concerns, Charith Asalanka got the opportunity to lead his side against India in T20Is. However, he has not done anything notable with the bat so far in this series. After getting a second ball duck in the first match, he only managed 14 runs in the second. If the hosts are to win the final T20I, the captain needs to step up.

3RD T20I: Sri Lanka **vs** India, 3 PM — Live on Sony Sports Network from 7 PM

EXPRESS READ

Coughlin wins the CPKC Women's Open

CALGARY: Lauren Coughlin won the CPKC Women's Open for her first LPGA Tour title, away from Haeran Ryu with a two-stroke swing on the par-3 17th. Tied for the lead with Ryu, Coughlin hit a 6-iron to 8 feet and birdied the 195-yard 17th. Ryu missed a par try to fall two shots back.

DDCA announces Delhi Premier League

NEW DELHI: The inaugural edition of the Delhi Premier League (DPL) will be held in the second half of August, the DDCA announced here on Monday. The T20 tournament, which will have both men's and women's matches, will be organised at the Arun Jaitley Stadium.

MALE INFERTILITY ON THE RISE

BY KAVITA BAJELI-DATT

ARE you among the couples who are struggling to conceive a baby the natural way? Do not fret. Millions across the country are facing the problem. While there has been much focus on infertility in women, male infertility is a topic less talked about.

Male infertility casts a heavy shadow, as it is accompanied by shame, embarrassment, body image, and societal expectations, but also knocks at the stereotype of masculinity in the Indian cultural context.

Infertility is a disease that can affect both men and women. Male infertility means that a man has a problem with his reproductive system and is unable to start a pregnancy with his female partner.

According to Dr Kshitiz Murdia, CEO and co-founder of Indira IVF, the prevalence of male infertility in India has been steadily increasing in recent years. According to the Indian Society of Assisted Reproduction, India has a significant population of approximately 27.5 million infertile individuals, encompassing both men and women. Notably, male factor infertility contributes to 40-50% of infertility cases in India, he said.

Stress, unhealthy habits

The high prevalence of male infertility in India is due to a combination of factors, including lifestyle changes, environmental influences, and medical conditions.

Murdia said a significant contributor to this male infertility is the shift in modern lifestyles. "The increasing prevalence of stress, coupled with the adoption of unhealthy habits such as alcohol consumption and smoking, has been linked to decreased sperm count. Furthermore, the growing rates of obesity and poor dietary choices, particularly excessive consumption of fast food, are negatively impacting male reproductive health," he added.

"The gravity of the situation is underscored by the statistic that one in every six Indian couples struggles with infertility. This issue is further compounded by societal trends such as late marriages and increasingly demanding lifestyles," Dr Murdia said.

Noting that there is much evidence suggesting that male infertility is on the rise in India, Dr Mrinal Pahwa, vice-chairman of department of renal transplant surgery, and senior consultant (urology), Sir Ganga Ram Hospital, Delhi, said environmental factors like pollution and exposure to toxins such as pesticides and heavy metals could reduce sperm quality.

High temperatures and radiation from electronic devices also have detrimental effects on sperm production, he added. Another factor affecting men's fertility is the sedentary lifestyle or lack of physical activity, said Hyderabad-based Dr Priyank Salecha, senior consultant, andrology, Apollo Fertility, Kondapur.

Hormonal imbalance, age

There are also medical conditions that lead to infertility among men. Hormonal disorders like imbalances in hormones produced by the hypothalamus, pituitary gland or testes, and medical conditions like diabetes and infections can impact reproductive health.

Just like in women, age is also a factor for infertility in men as it is linked to decreased sperm quality and fertility.

Addressing male infertility in India requires a comprehensive approach encompassing lifestyle modifications, environmental protection measures, and improved access to reproductive healthcare, Dr Murdia added.

Early diagnosis

Experts said that the inability to conceive a child can be stressful and frustrating, but there are several treatments available for male infertility. "Diagnosing male infertility involves a thorough medical history review and physical examination," said Dr Lavanya R, fertility consultant at Nova IVF Fertility, Whitefield, Bengaluru.

Semen analysis is the primary test evaluating sperm count, motility, and morphology. Low sperm count symptoms may include poor sexual function, discomfort or swelling in the testicular region, and hormonal abnormalities, she added.

To detect underlying issues, hormone tests, genetic testing, and imaging examinations such as scrotal ultrasound may be used.

"Early diagnosis with these methods is critical for effective treatment and better reproductive results. If couples have been trying to conceive for more than a year and have had no success, they should consult a fertility specialist," she said.

In recent years, male infertility treatments have advanced significantly in India, offering hope to couples struggling with conception.

Multiple options

Chennai-based Dr Rukkayal Fathima, obstetrician and gynaecologist, lead consultant (reproductive medicine) and fertility expert at Motherhood Hospital, said the treatment for male infertility in India includes a broad range of options from lifestyle changes and medication to advanced surgical and assisted reproductive techniques.

In vitro fertilization (IVF) is a widely used and effective method for addressing male infertility. This process involves fertilising a woman's eggs with a man's sperm in a controlled laboratory environment.

In cases of severe male factor infertility, intracytoplasmic sperm injection (ICSI) offers a more targeted approach. It has proven highly effective for men with very low sperm counts or poor sperm motility, providing a chance for conception even in challenging cases.

Another standard treatment option is intrauterine insemination (IUI). This less invasive procedure involves placing prepared sperm directly into the woman's uterus.

"These advanced reproductive technologies have revolutionised the treatment of male infertility, offering tailored solutions to address various fertility challenges. Each method provides unique advantages, and the choice of treatment is typically made in consultation with fertility specialists, considering each couple's specific needs and circumstances," said Dr Murdia.

Awareness needed

However, what is most important is to address the stigma surrounding male infertility, which experts say requires a multifaceted.

TREATMENT

- Medications to treat hormonal imbalances
- Antibiotics for infections
- Hormone replacement therapy

Surgical treatments:
- Surgery to repair varicocele
- Procedures to correct blockages in the reproductive tract

Assisted reproductive technologies (ART)
- Intrauterine Insemination
- Sperm is directly placed into the woman's uterus

In vitro fertilization (IVF):
- Sperm and eggs are combined outside the body, and the resulting embryos are implanted in the uterus

Intracytoplasmic sperm Injection:
- A single sperm is injected directly into an egg

Lifestyle Modifications:
- Changes in diet, exercise, and habits like quitting smoking and reducing alcohol consumption
- Stress management techniques such as yoga and meditation

XPRESS FOCUS

PUTTING ODISHA ON TOP-KIIT DU

KIIT DU Awarded Prestigious UN ECOSOC Special Consultative Status

KIIT Deemed to be University has been granted the distinguished Special Consultative Status by the United Nations Economic and Social Council (UN ECOSOC), recognizing the University's substantial contributions to the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). From a pool of 476 applications around the World, only 19 organizations, including KIIT DU, were selected for this prestigious honour. The status was conferred during the UN ECOSOC management segment meeting held on July 23, 2024, at the United Nations Headquarters in New York.

This recognition underscores KIIT's unwavering commitment to the United Nations' Agenda 2030 and the SDGs. Attaining Special Consultative Status marks a significant milestone, positioning KIIT among a select group of universities globally that have earned this esteemed distinction.

In another development, KIIT has signed an MoU with UN Volunteers (UNV). This partnership opens a remarkable opportunity for students of KIIT DU to engage with various UN agencies to serve as 'National University UN Volunteers' who will be deployed for various development initiatives within the UN agencies. These opportunities will equip KIIT students with valuable professional experience in international development, shaping their future career paths with proper stipend. This initiative is a first of its kind by any private university in South Asia.

Similarly, the American Council of Young Political Leaders (ACYPL), a global leader in fostering international understanding and diplomacy has announced its historic collaboration with the Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS) and KIIT. KISS is the sister concern of KIIT. With the steadfast support of the U.S. Department of State and a score of other partners, over 8,900 leaders in the U.S. and in 129 countries and territories around the world have travelled on our life-changing exchange programs.

With alumni that include prominent figures such as Prime Minister Narendra Modi of India, Senate Minority Leader Mitch McConnell, U.S. Department of Transportation Secretary Pete Buttigieg, North Carolina Governor Roy Cooper, Illinois Governor JB Pritzker, Congresswoman Tulsi Gabbard of Hawaii, and former South Carolina Governor Nikki Haley, ACYPL has a storied history of influencing international relations and leadership.

Expressing his happiness Dr. Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS said that it is a matter of pride that KIIT is the only professional/ technical university in India to achieve UN ECOSOC Special Consultative Status. Also, in India, both KIIT and KISS in Odisha are proud to get this prestigious award. KISS has already been awarded with UN ECOSOC Special Consultative Status in 2015 and has been continuing with this status till date, he informed.

He has also expressed that KIIT is the only university in South Asia to get UNV status for engaging students for internship. ACYPL is a very prestigious thing for KIIT to engage political diplomats and leaders to visit KIIT & KISS from across the world and have an internship programme, he added.

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DAY'S DIARY

Mars 2020 mission

NASA's Mars rover was launched in 2020. A United Launch Alliance rocket lifted off from Complex 41 at Cape Canaveral Air Force Station

PURPOSE

The spacecraft carrying the Perseverance rover arrived at Mars on Feb, 18, 2021. Key phases of the Mars 2020 mission are launch, cruise, arrival and Mars surface operations

BEHIND THE LAUNCH

Earth laps Mars about once every 26 months. Launch opportunities to Mars during such positioning of planets will be on a relatively short track

MISSION

Perseverance's mission was to search for signs of microbial life, planet's climate and geology, collect samples to Earth and pave way for human exploration

A curated guide to happenings in the city

PG 2

Counterproductive, stifling, and nonsensical. Experts and professionals alike, call out the lack of scientific grounding behind the proposed amendment to the Karnataka Shops and Commercial Establishments Act, 1961, which aims to bring about a 14-hour work day

BEYOND THE 9-5

ILLUSTRATION: MANDAR PARDIKAR

DR MEGHNA SINGHAL, clinical psychologist and psychotherapist

This is an absolutely terrible idea. The proposal overlooks the fact that longer hours do not equate to more productivity. Working 14 hours leaves little time for other activities. People compromise on sleep and exercise, creating a toxic mix that adversely affects physical and mental health. Sleep is crucial for cell rejuvenation and repair, including brain cells. Our immune system is also tied to our sleep quality. This proposal, by compromising sleep, will lead to less productive employees, contrary to its goal. Without adequate sleep, employees will not be fresh, leading to poorer output. Overworking leads to errors, reduced efficiency, and overall decline in productivity. It stifles creativity and problem-solving abilities, which are the foundation of many jobs. Trying to produce factory-like output from knowledge workers is nonsensical and counterproductive.

AKSHITA, IT professional

To even think a person can work more than 10 hours a day is utterly unrealistic because people have lives and many other responsibilities. After Covid, the world has changed, and people are adjusting to the new normal of working from home and the office thrice a week. In Bengaluru, commuting is a major issue due to traffic, and people are still figuring out how to connect with colleagues online, which itself takes a lot of time. Because of the hybrid model, we're already working more than 10 hours. This isn't new; even before, people usually worked longer hours because in IT, we can't deliver something within just eight hours. The nature of the industry demands that we keep up with new trends and technologies every day, requiring constant learning and delivery. When we include learning time, it often exceeds more than 10 hours daily. If we had to work 14 hours each day, we'd have absolutely no life and would be exhausted in three months. We have families and our own health to take care of, so it's not feasible at all.

TARUN, IT professional

Thanks to the infrastructure the government has given us, we are already working 14 hours a day, a large part of which is spent in commuting. Adding a 14-hour work day to this schedule means we're working close to 18 hours a day, leaving about six hours for sleep and recreation. Four-day workweeks, as successfully demonstrated in the West, are absolutely the way to go. There is nothing stopping companies from cutting costs through automation. If companies benefit from automation, so should the employees. Automation means less work to be done, which could allow us to move to a four-day workweek. Today's employment market is extremely short-term. Management and CEOs focus on short-term incentives, quarterly results, and year-on-year growth. This perpetual growth model is unsustainable. They take steps to achieve these short-term goals without caring about long-term sustainability. They don't care about killing the 'golden goose', i.e, their employees, because they know they won't be around to see the long-term benefits; they want the profits today and now.

DR VS PRAKASH, senior consultant - Department of Cardiology, Ramaiah Memorial Hospital

Everyone needs at least seven hours of sleep. After accounting for sleep, commuting, and daily routines, there's hardly any time left for work, let alone exercise. Numerous studies clearly show that working beyond seven or eight hours a day affects your life and longevity, increasing health hazards such as hypertension and diabetes, especially for desk jobs. Working beyond these hours is not healthy and does not meet health standards.

HARISH BIJOOR, brand guru

The subject of working hours for IT employees is very sensitive and often an overheated subject. IT employees frequently feel they are putting in more hours than they should. Therefore, this issue needs to be handled with great care. Who should decide how many hours an employee must and can work? I believe this decision cannot be made by the central government, state governments, or even by the employer within the IT context. Instead, this decision should be left to the employees themselves. Employees should determine how much they must work and the corresponding pro-rata rate of payment. If an IT employee feels comfortable working 16 hours a day, so be it, as long as they are healthy enough to manage it. This includes both physical and mental health. IT companies need to become magnets for employees by being good employers who take care of their employees' overall health and well-being. It is crucial from a business perspective to ensure that employees work only as much as they can handle. This decision must be made by the employees, not the employer or the government.

BY DESE GOWDA

MARKING A MILESTONE

It's 'back to school' for the alumni of Sophia High School on Palace Road which is celebrating its 75th anniversary

POOJA DAS

A nostalgia-filled weekend awaits the alumni of Sophia High School on Palace Road, which will be celebrating its 75th anniversary on August 3. Back at their alma mater – known for iconic alumni such as actor Deepika Padukone, Supreme Court Justice BV Nagarathna, and former Olympic swimmer Nisha Millet – on Saturday, the students will walk down memory lane as they go back to their classrooms, and interact with teachers and schoolmates.

For Nirupa Shankar, Class of 1999, the memories of Sophia's are deeply imprinted, despite having graduated over 25 years ago. "The inter-school and inter-house competitions left a huge mark on me and created the ability to perform under pressure and push hard during 'game time'. This trait still comes handy to me even today, at my day job," shares the joint managing director of the Brigade Group.

Dr Pratima Murthy, director of the National Institute of Mental Health and Neurosciences (NIMHANS), recalls her school days with great fondness. "Being an alumnus, one never forgets one's roots. The teachers and nuns were inspiring, fantastic role models, who ensured we learned and enjoyed ourselves. I've always kept in touch with many of my teachers and the sisters. My kids studied there, too, so I've kept that umbilical cord intact," laughs Dr Murthy, who was part of the Class of 1976.

Taking the mantle of the president of the Alumni Association recently, Priya Chetty-Rajagopal shares with excitement the meticulous planning that has gone into the upcoming celebrations. "There's been so much work for the alumni event. It's becoming bigger and bigger," says Chetty-Rajagopal, adding, "We are creating a living archive and a Memory Project, which will become an ongoing documentary. Right now, we're getting videos, messages, and a blog. We also want to get little bits and pieces, like a report card, to create the Memory Project." The association is also planning to digitise the data they have amassed over the years to allow future generations to explore their heritage. "Imagine someone being able to check their grandmother's report card or see what prize she got. It's a small idea but big for people looking for memories," she adds.

Deepika Padukone

The event on August 3 will start with a guided tour of the school. With over 1,500 registrations, the programme includes school performances, lighting of the lamp and much more. "We'll have an equivalent of a tree of life where you put your thumbprint in the colour of your house," says Chetty-Rajagopal, hoping that it all concludes with a lot of fun for the alumni. "The alumni association is being re-energised, and it's heartening to see such enthusiasm." The alumni meet will also see the participation of 'old boys', who studied in Sophia's till Class 4 and then moved to other schools.

Sister Alpana Palatty, the principal, expresses her pride and joy. "It has been an overwhelming journey, marked by strong and positive vibrations, all aimed at making this event truly memorable for our alumni," she says.

Despite having graduated from school over 25 years ago, the memories are still deeply imprinted

Nirupa Shankar, joint MD, Brigade Group, Class of 1999

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Priya Chetty-Rajagopal, president, Alumni Association, Class of 1979

CITY READ

Hindustani concert to be held on Aug 3

A special evening of Hindustani Raagdhaari Sangeet is set to take place on Saturday, August 3 at 6pm at Canara Union, Malleswaram. Organised by Sursagar in association with ITC Sangeet Research Academy, the event will feature a vocal recital by Vidushi Medha Basu followed by a sitar recital by Pandit **Partha Chatterjee**. Basu, a scholar at ITC Sangeet Research Academy, and Chatterjee, a distinguished sitar maestro, will be accompanied by tabla players Bivash Sanghai and Udayraj Karpur, and harmonium player Satish Kolli. The concert is free and open to all. For more information, contact 9844273223.

University kicks off new academic year

CMR University inaugurated its 2024-25 programme with an orientation at the OMBR Campus on July 26, welcoming over 850 new students and their parents. Chief guest Prof Chambi Puranik, chief academic advisor and former DEC member, highlighted the importance of discipline for success.

The 8th edition of the Bengaluru Poetry Festival is back this weekend with a star-studded line-up, featuring actor M Nassar, singer Shankar Mahadevan, and actor-director Varun Grover

MONIKA MONALISA

IT'S just the beginning of the week but here is our suggestion for the upcoming weekend: The 8th edition of the Bengaluru Poetry Festival taking place on August 3 and 4, which features a guestlist of some of the finest poets and artistes from the country.

Multi-faceted Tamil actor M Nassar, singer Shankar Mahadevan, actor-director Varun Grover, and Vipul Rikhi, who is known for reciting Kabir's dohas are just some of the few names. Giving a glimpse into what the festival will be like, Subodh Sankar, co-founder of the festival, says, "You will hear poetry in so many different languages. And to me, the sound of poetry is very spectacular, even if you don't understand the language. There's a tone, tenor and a way that poets read, especially in Indian languages," says Sankar, adding that this time there will be poetry in more regional languagues. "We have Gujarati and Punjabi for the first time. We will also have Sanskrit being read on stage," he adds.

Additionally, there will be a session on artistic ways of presenting poetry. "We have people who are active practitioners of other artforms, who interact and interpret poetry in very different ways," he says.

This festival goes against the assumption that there needs to be a theme for an event of this genre. "I'm fundamentally not comfortable with straight jacketing a festival of this nature into a theme," says Sankar. The other names on the list of the panel are poet and critic Ranjit Hoskote, Gujarati singer and poet Saumya Joshi – known for his hit song *Khalasi*, and Kannada poet Jayant Kaikini. The festival will also have a children's section.

In terms of thinking out of the box, Sankar also points out that many might have questions about actor Nassar being on the panel. "Even he had the same question when we approached him," Sankar laughs. "He is extremely well-read and exposed to different kinds of literature. It would be interesting to know him away from his cinematic world," says Sankar.

(The Bengaluru Poetry Festival is taking place at Grand Mercure Bengaluru at Gopalan Mall, Old Madras Road, on August 3 and 4, 9.30am onwards. Entry is free)

A previous edition of the festival

THE WRITTEN VERSE

Varun Grover

Shankar Mahadevan and M Nassar

BOOK NOOK

Long Island Compromise
By Taffy Brodesser-Akner

The novel is a fictionalised account of a real kidnapping. When the Fletcher family patriarch is kidnapped from his driveway in the suburbs of New York in the 1980s, the effects of his abduction follow the lives of his three children even into their adulthood.

Anita de Monte Laughs Last
By Xochitl Gonzalez

Anita de Monte, a rising star in the art world, is found dead in New York City; her tragic death is the talk of the town. Until it isn't. By 1998, Anita's name had been all but forgotten—certainly by the time Raquel, a third-year art history student, was preparing her final thesis.

All Fours
By Miranda July

A semi-famous artist announces her plan to drive cross-country from LA to New York. Twenty minutes after leaving her husband and child at home, she spontaneously exits the motorway, beds down in a nondescript motel, and immerses herself in a temporary reinvention that turns out to be the start of an entirely different journey.

The Women
By Kristin Hannah

The novel is the story of one woman gone to war, but it shines a light on all women who put themselves in harm's way and whose sacrifice and commitment to their country have too often been forgotten.

A NEW CHAPTER

Students of a private university celebrate their graduation with a photoshoot at Cubbon Park on Sunday | GAYATHRI SURESH

QUICKFIX

CINNAMON TOAST CEREAL

INGREDIENTS

- **All purpose flour:** 1/2 cups
- **Powdered sugar:** 1/2 cup
- **Butter:** 1/2 cup
- **Cinnamon powder:** 1/2 tbsp
- **Oat flour:** 1 cup
- **Salt:** 1/2 tsp
- **Cold water:** 1/4th cup

METHOD

- Mix all the ingredients
- Roll your dough out and brush it with the butter, sugar, and cinnamon powder. Mix it
- Bake for 12-15 minutes at 180 degree C
- Pour some milk in the bowl and enjoy

Contributed by **Lakshana Srinivas**, Bengaluru

DEAR LIFE

Preeti Shenoy
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Novelist, Illustrator, Speaker

How do I overcome self-doubt and lack of confidence?

There are many ways to overcome self-doubts. But it is important to understand what causes it in the first place. Have you grown up with overly critical parents or teachers? Is there anything that happened in the past that has led to this? Are you so afraid of failure that you hesitate to act? Confidence is built up when you have had 'small wins'. A useful exercise to build this up is to break up your life into five-year segments and list every single achievement. Example: 0-5 years: learned to walk. 5-10 years: learned to write, won a prize at school, etc. Write down every detail you remember. Recognising these small successes helps to reinforce your abilities. Do not compare yourself to others. Seek out people who are supportive and uplifting. When self-doubt arises, ask yourself if it is based on facts or whether you are being unnecessarily harsh towards yourself. I would also recommend keeping a gratitude journal to shift your focus towards the things that are going right for you. If things get too overwhelming, do not hesitate to seek professional help.

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FITBIT

CHAIR URDHVA HASTASANA

(CHAIR UPWARD HAND STRETCH POSE)

This is similar to the traditional Urdhva Hastasana (Palm Tree Pose), but done with the support of the chair. Seated comfortably, this variation of stretching the upper body is an accessible pose that helps reduce the tightness around the neck, upper back, and lower back. This pose is also a good way to freshen up and wake up the muscles of the shoulders and back. It is a shoulder flexion and helps in maintaining the range of motion of the shoulders. This pose also relaxes the nervous system, brings better awareness of breath, or can be done as part of a warm-up before the Surya Namaskar Variation.

STEPS

- Sit on the chair, grounding your feet on the floor. Keep your back straight and long and connect to your breathing in Chair Tadasana.
- Ensure your feet are kept parallel, a few inches away from each other. Stay here for about 4-5 breaths.
- Bring your arms forward, lengthen them, and interlock them in front of you.
- Stretch and remain here for about 2-3 breaths.
- Inhale and raise your arms above your head, maintaining the lock with your fingers. Exhale.
- Inhale and bring your shoulders away from your ears and behind to give a deeper stretch to your upper back.
- Stretch your hands upward with your palms facing up. Inhale and gaze in front of you.
- Exhale, with slow deep breaths, connect your breath with your body.
- Remain here for about 4-6 breaths, or as per your comfort.
- With every inhalation, stretch upwards without causing any tension to the neck and facial muscles.
- Exhale, coming back to the original position with the arms kept in front of you.
- Inhale, and repeat the practice for the second round. Stay here for about 4-6 breaths.
- Release and relax, coming back to Chair Tadasana.

BENEFITS

- Stretches the muscles of the arms, shoulders, and upper abdomen.
- Stretches the back muscles and the muscles of the psoas and hips.
- Makes the shoulders and back strong.
- Strengthens the triceps and biceps, engaging them deeper.
- Lengthens the muscles of the arms, flexes the shoulders, and engages the core muscles together, maintaining good posture.
- Helps cure hunchbacks and improves posture.
- Helps keep the nervous system calm and relaxed.
- Activates the lungs, heart, and abdominal organs.
- Ensures a better digestive system, blood circulation, and lymphatic fluid.

LIMITATIONS

- Students with injuries to their neck, wrists, fingers, elbows, shoulders, or rib cage, or who have any wear and tear in the tendons of their shoulders, armpits, rib cage, arms, wrists, or elbows, or who have frozen shoulders, should avoid this.
- Those who are recovering from surgery on any part of the body, including the hips, abdominal area, or even the back, should avoid this practice.

By N Elumalai, PhD Scholar (Yoga Science) at Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education & Research, Chennai

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HAVE A RECIPE OR ART WORK TO SHARE, OR A QUESTION TO ASK?

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WHATWHENWHYWHERE

DJ Night

Enjoy with your besties at this ladies' night as renowned DJs play the finest Bollywood and Punjabi music, ensuring an unforgettable night on the dance floor.

WHEN: July 30, 8pm
WHERE: Bigg Daddy, Koramangala
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Mystery Rooms

This escape game simulation offers a thrilling adventure where a team of 2-8 people is locked in a mysterious space for an hour, tasked with solving puzzles and finding clues to escape in time. **WHEN:** July 30, 9.45pm
WHERE: Mystery Rooms, ndiranagar
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Conservation Stories

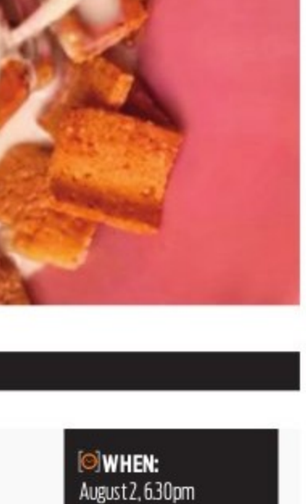
Attend the screening of *Seed Stories*, a documentary exploring the efforts of Dr Debal Deb and his team in conserving over 1,000 endangered rice varieties in Odisha's Eastern Ghats.

WHEN: August 2, 6.30pm
WHERE: Bangalore International Centre, Domlur
DETAILS: bangalore-internationalcentre.org

Laughter & Love

Tired of the same old take on relationships? Attend Toxic Pyaar, a standup comedy show that delves into the complexities of love, from dating mishaps to surviving heartbreak with humour.

WHEN: July 30, 10pm
WHERE: Ministry of Comedy Koramangala
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com



Fluid Art

Unleash creativity and imagination at this fluid art workshop, ideal for both beginners and enthusiasts. This hands-on experience teaches the techniques of fluid painting, creating stunning organic patterns with flowing, liquid paint, offering a therapeutic and joyous escape from the mundane.

WHEN: July 30, 2pm
WHERE: Small World, Koramangala
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Comedy Legend

Get ready to experience one of the best standup comedy shows with **Anthony Jeselnik**'s critically-acclaimed Bones and All tour, marking Jeselnik's inaugural performance in the city, featuring his signature dark humour and sharp wit.

WHEN: August 10, 7pm
WHERE: Good Shepherd Auditorium, Shanthala Nagar
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

ARTCORNER

FLORA AND FAUNA

Artist Shweta Chandra's artwork captures a surreal blend of nature and architecture

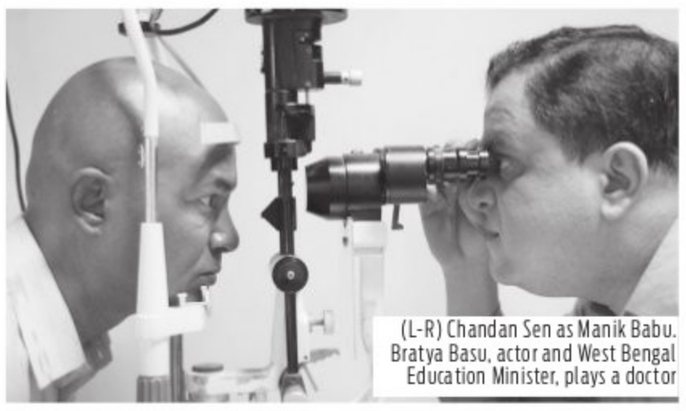
UP IN THE CLOUDS

Can a man fall in love with a cloud? A conversation with Chandan Sen, lead actor of *Manikbabur Megh*, a Bengali film that has been making waves, and which makes us aware of how human beings behave when they encounter 'difference', or that which they do not understand

PARAMITA GHOSH

IN the first half of the film the only two signs of life in Manik Babu are his listening to the Shyama Sangeet at a tea shop, and he pottering around his ailing father, adjusting the tape-recorder on his lap and giving him the morning paper. His father, the only relationship he has with another human being, is *not* a vegetable – he needs to believe this. But with his falling in love with a cloud, *Manikbabur Megh* (The Cloud & the Man, 2021), a Bengali film with English subtitles that has been making waves in the festival circuit, and which has been released in major cities of India this month, begins to take a fabulist turn. Manik Babu, whom the world had dismissed as a loner is, now the world realises, a man with flesh, heart, emotions; nevertheless, he is still a figure of ridicule. The film makes us aware of how human beings behave when they encounter 'difference', or that which they do not understand.

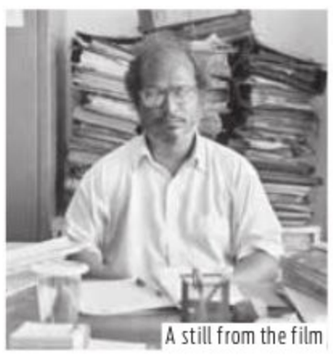
Directed by Abhinandan Banerjee and produced by Bauddhayan and Monalisa Mukherji, the film has been screened in 38 film festivals and has received 14 awards and nominations. Chandan Sen, in his breakthrough role of Manik Babu – he has so far mainly played a bad guy or a petty gangster in Tollywood – is a veteran Bengali film, television and stage actor. He is a student of actors and theatre doyens Utpal Dutt and Ramaprasad Banik. Sen, a cancer survivor, won the Best Male Actor award at the International Film Festival (IFF) Pacific Meridian at Vladivostok, Russia, in 2022.



(L-R) Chandan Sen as Manik Babu. Bratya Basu, actor and West Bengal Education Minister, plays a doctor

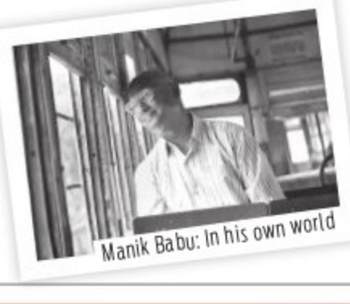
Excerpts:

A world that is transactional, and looks for success and exceptionalism, has no time for a man like Manik Babu. How did you look for Manik Babu's world within yourself before you set out to become him on screen?
All through my life, I have seen a few Manik Babus, people who do not have any contact with others, they can be seen on the streets, you realise they exist when they leave and return to their homes. Throughout the film, Manik Babu seems not to be able to countenance life head-on, his eyes wear a certain expression – life is too much for him, he can only bear it with side glances. The film in my mind moves around three topics – a man's isolation, his relationship to nature and how he reacts to rejection by others. Every man at some time or the other feels this. I internalised them, then just did it my own way.



A still from the film

The film has a relationship with life and death. Is that why in your portrayal of Manik Babu, you seem like a dead man who is looking after a man, his father, who is about to die?
Manik Babu is not dead, he has desires, emotions. There is a scene in which he picks up a mongolghot (an auspicious pitcher-like vessel that brides hold in their hands during weddings) when he goes to a dump to dispose of his father's belongings. He also picks up a flower from the spot, and when at home, he keeps it on his bed and sleeps. I didn't want to overplay all this in the scene, I just caressed the flowers. The city's billboards that catch his eye [such as the 'ride like a beast' bikes or the real estate ad for a high-rise], are also instances that point to his inner life.



Manik Babu: In his own world

The trees in the film have also been used in a particular way.
There is the wild foliage on the top of their terrace which he cares for. He also waters a certain dead tree in his neighbourhood. It is after caressing the trees that he moves towards the final scene on the terrace. Since the time when he falls in love with the cloud, he also wears a grass ring. The director has shown love and nature and love of nature in this way.

That Manik Babu can find love is also shown in a poignant way.
It's when his friend Kali Babu takes him to the doctor. It is the doctor (played by actor-playwright and West Bengal Education Minister Bratya Basu) who first articulates Manik Babu's latent desires. On hearing that a cloud has been following him, a cloud only visible to him, the doctor ribs him: 'Megh na Meye (A cloud or a girl)'? Manik Babu begins to chase the cloud all over the city. As he lies on the grass, he looks towards the sky and addresses the cloud, offering, as it were, the best version of himself in a suit; he asks the cloud whether like everybody else, will she, too, think he is mad…

Utpal Dutt and Ramaprasad Banik have been major influences on your work.
I knew Utpal Dutt first through my father. I come from a Communist family background. My father was the political secretary of Jyoti Basu [a former West Bengal Chief Minister], my mother was an IPTA actor. Utpalda created my pragya and magoj (the way I understand things and the way I think), Ramaprasad Banik told me how to work on my body for theatre.

What are you working on next? What would you recommend fans watch to see some of your best work?
Anjan Dutt's *Madly Bangalee*, my serials *Ichche Nodee*, *Ishti Kutum*…. Right now I have no work. These things happen.

LOVEOLOGY
Mahesh Natarajan

(The author is a counsellor with InnerSight)

Don't let disrespect pile up

EVERY now and then, your partner is going to say or do something that is going to feel absolutely heartbreaking, and make you wonder if you even know this person at all. You might have been together for ages, or just a few days, feel like you have known each other inside out or just started to get to know each other and love what you have seen so far, and then it can shift a little.

We might feel the disrespect in very small ways like how the partner makes a disparaging remark about us in public or with close friends. It might be something like, "Oh, we spend a lot of money on clothes because every year, there's an extra inch to cover!" Or, "Some people can sing really well, and then there are others who shouldn't sing even from a really deep well!" It can feel like a small joke, but in reality it is disrespect. It is the person's contempt showing its ugly head.

Now, when that happens, and it really is a when most times, we might be tempted to spar with the person with a jab or two of our own, hitting at vulnerable spots that we know as well. It becomes then a battle of warnings, a kind of sabre rattling, where everyone is then aware of who stands where, who stands to lose how much.

That is like a scenario of mutually assured destruction, in how two neighbouring countries both fully armed with nuclear weapons would not risk going into an all-out war with each other, but keep sniping at each other at borders that are then declared sensitive.

In relationships as well, even if not outright conflict, these wars can simmer in their disrespect and come up in all sorts of unsavoury ways, and then explode into a huge flight. Most times, the actual incident that caused the fight might be very small, and it is the large backlog of imagined and real shows of disrespect that is exploding. These are experiences of discontent and disrespect that were left unattended, perhaps in the interests of peace in the here and now, or maybe bits that hurt and one chose not to disclose it just so that others do not know of this vulnerability – but they pile up.

Allowing disrespect to pile up like that is not only dangerous as it is just a tinderbox waiting to explode, but also because it takes away from experiencing love as fully as one could, and that is really the cost that we shouldn't have to bear but end up bearing it because we don't even realise it.

Do we not deserve to love wholesomely? Do we not need the free mind and heart to give love as fully as we feel it? Then, why do we take up a watchful stance with a partner we want to love?

Love deserves a joyful place of meeting each other in celebration of one another, not a border with minefields and snipers.

(The writer's views are personal)

NUGGETS

Indian craft chocolate shines globally

Manam Chocolate, an India craft chocolate brand, has been featured on TIME's annual list of the World's Greatest Places 2024. Founded by Chaitanya Muppala, Manam Chocolate is recognised for its unique approach to Indian-grown cacao and its collaboration with farmers in Andhra Pradesh. The brand's flagship store in Hyderabad offers an array of innovative chocolate products, from chocolate bars to pastries.

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CHANGE OF NAME
I, SHUBHA MANGALA SUNIL, Resident of Flat No.G-02, Rockline Westend, Kastubra Road Cross, Bengaluru-560001, Karnataka, have changed my name to **SHUBHA SUNIL,** vide affidavit dated: 26.07.2024 before Notary ARAVIND PATIL.G.G., Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **MADDURI NSR RAJESWARI** Presently residing at No.52, 8th Cross, T.C.Palya Main Road, Muninanjappa Lauout, Ramamurthynagar, Bengaluru - 560016. Henceforth changed my name to **MADDURI N S R RAJINI,** vide Affidavit dated: 22/07/2024 before Notary **T.C.Thimmaraja,** Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **PRITHVI N RAJ,** S/o D.Narayanappa, Advocate, R/at, 26, Raghavendraswamy Temple Road, 11th Block, Marilingappa Layout, Papareddy Palya, Bengaluru - 560072, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **N.BASAVARAJU** TO **PRITHVI N RAJ,** vide resolution No.160/2011 dated 11-09-2011 and also vide notification 13/2011 dated 15-10-2011 issued by the Secretary, Karnataka State Bar Counsel, K.G.I.D. Building, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Jayanna Veerappa**, aged about 52 years, S/o. Veerathappa, resident of No. 9, 2nd 'A' Main, 3rd Cross, Venkatadri Layout, Doresanipalya, Bengaluru-560076, Karnataka, India, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **Jayanna V / V. Jayanna** to **Jayanna Veerappa,** vide affidavit dated 27.07.2024, sworn before H.S. Dharma Prasad, Advocate Notary Public, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, MALLIKSAB NADAF, residing at GBJ-16, 2nd Main, 3rd Cross, HAL New Township, Marathahalli, Bangalore - 560037, hereby state that in my HAL Records bearing PB No. 72892-59 and Dept No. L305 my wife's name has appeared as **RESHMA M** instead of **RESHMA NADAF** and that both the names belong to the one and the same person and shall henceforth be referred to as **RESHMA NADAF** in all future references vide affidavit dated 27th July 2024 sworn before the notary A R Muneer Ahmed, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **ABDUL MAJEED MOHAMMED,** R/o No. A-101, Kingston Royal, Basavanapura Main Road, K.R. Puram, Bengaluru-560 036 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **ABDUL MAAJID** to **ABDUL MAJEED MOHAMMED,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **ABDUL MAJEED MOHAMMED** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 29-07-2024, sworn before Advocate and Notary **G. RAJENDRA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **ANUP KUNDAPURA RAO** R/at No. 4216 Kalash Tower 4 Prestige Song of the South, Yelenahalli, Bengaluru- 560068 have changed my name to **ANUP RAO KUNDAPURA** vide affidavit dated: 29/7/2024 Before Notary **Aravind Patil G.G** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **RAKESH** C/o **A Banumathi** R/at No.258, 3rd B Main Road, Near SBI Bank, Nagadevanahalli, Bengaluru-560056 have changed my name to **RAKESH JAIN** vide affidavit dated: 29/7/2024 Before Notary **M.K.Devaki** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) ANILKUMARA NAGARAJU Residing at No. 13, Sri Balaji Nilaya, 6th Cross, Near Anjali CNVT, Srigandanagar, Sunkadakatte, Bangalore, Karnataka-590091, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) ANILKUMARA NAGARAJU** to **(NEW NAME) ANIL KUMAR NAGARAJU** vide affidavit dated 29.07.2024 sworn before Notary K.C.Shashikala Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) MUDHAKAVVA,** Mother of NO.15322701F, HAV, MALLAPPA YENAGI, Residing at Ingalagi (Vill), Ingalagi (Post), Saundatti (Tehsil), Belagavi (Dist), KARNATAKA (State), PIN: 591111, Have Changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) MUDAKAVVA YENAGI** And **DOB** from **01.07.1962** to **01.01.1960** Vide Affidavit Dated 26.07.2024 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) RENUKA,** Mother of NO.15322526X HAV BALU GOVEKAR, Residing at Kanabargi (Vill & Post), Belagavi (Taluk & Dist), KARNATAKA (State), PIN: 590016, Have Changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) RENUKA SAHADEV GOVEKAR,** And **DOB** from **01.07.1960** to **01.01.1961,** Vide Affidavit Dated 26.07.2024 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Mohammed Tajuddin**, S/o. Abdul Rahaman, aged about 42 years, residing at Ward No. 16, Near Old Masjid Mohalla, Magadi Town-562120, Ramanagara District, Karnataka State, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **Mohamed Tajuddin** to **Mohammed Tajuddin,** vide affidavit dated 29.07.2024, sworn to before E.V. Indira, Advocate & Notary Public, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **LAXMI DEVI ADHIKARI,** age 34 years, presently R/at No. 377, 37th Cross, 16th A Main, 4th T Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore North, Bangalore-560 041 do hereby declare that my correct name is **LAXMI DEVI ADHIKARI**, but in my first son **BIMAL BAHADUR's** Birth Certificate, my name is mentioned as **LAKSHMI** and in my second son **P LOKENDRA's** Birth Certificate, my name is mentioned as **RASHMI**, vide affidavit dated 25-07-2024, sworn before Advocate and Notary **NATESH .D** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **PREMILA** W/o Mahendra Kumar V, age 47 years, R/at No. 48/17, 1st Main, Marenahalli, Vijayanagar, Bangalore-560 040 do hereby declare that after my marriage I have changed my name from **PREMILA** to **PREMILA MAHENDRA KUMAR,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **PREMILA MAHENDRA KUMAR** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 19-06-2024, sworn before Advocate and Notary **VEENA .K** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **RAVISH** aged about 61 years S/o Sri. Anantharam Setty, residing at 9/2 old veterinary hospital road Jayanagara (Basavanagudi) Bangalore south, Bangalore-560011, have changed my name from **GANGAM RAMASETTY ANANTHARAM SETTY RAVISH** to **RAVISH,** vide affidavit dated 29/7/2024 sworn to before P.Anuradha advocate and notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, No.10490252W Rank Hav Name **Selvaraj D** R/at Mettupatty (Vill) Begampur(Po), Dindigul(Dist). Tamil Nadu-624002 have changed my son name from **S RIJOCHRIST** to **RIJOCHRIST S** vide affidavit dated: 16/7/2024 Before Notary **Prasad Shetty.K.B** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, Waqar Ahmad Siddiqi S/o. Late Khalil Ahmad Siddiqi , aged about 50 years, R/at Flat No. 207, IV Heritage Estate, Doddaballapur Main road, near Ramanashree California Resort, Yelahanka - 560 064, I have changed my minor daughter **Maira Siddiqi** name as **FATIMAH ZAHRA SIDDIQI** vide affidavit dated 23.07.2024 sworn before Advocate & Notary R. Sulakshana, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) VIMALA M K,** Mother of NO.JC-314686W, NB/SUB, DURGA PRASAD M, Residing at Madivayal Colony Road, Pilicode (Post), Hosdurg (TK), Kasargod (Dist), KERALA (State), PIN: 671310, Have Changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) M K VIMALA,** And **DOB** from **01.07.1958** to **30.05.1959,** Vide Affidavit Dated 26.07.2024 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE

CHANGE OF NAME
I, SERVICE NO.15322526X HAV BALU GOVEKAR, Residing at Kanabergi (Vill & Post), Belagavi (Taluk & Dist), KARNATAKA (State), PIN:590016, Have Changed My Daughter Name **(OLD NAME) JANHAVI** to **(NEW NAME) JANHAVI BALU GOVEKAR,** Vide Affidavit Dated 26.07.2024 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **AFREEN FATHIMA** D/O Mohammed Rafik Raja R/a #469/D, 1st B Street,mathikere extension, mathikere, bangalore 560054 have changed my name from **AFREEN FATHIMA TO AFRIN FATHIMA RAFIK RAJA.** Vide affidavit dated 28.6.2024 before Notary **Prakash.C** Bengaluru

AFFIDAVIT
I, **PREM BAHADUR ADHIKARI,** age 39 years, presently R/at No. 377, 37th Cross, 16th A Main, 4th T Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore North, Bangalore-560 041 do hereby declare that my correct name is **PREM BAHADUR ADHIKARI**, but in my pan card my name is mentioned as **PREM ADHIKARI KHADAK ADHIKARI**, wherein **KHADAK ADHIKARI** is my father's name, and in my first son **BIMAL BAHADUR's** Birth Certificate, my name is mentioned as **PREM BAHADUR** and in my second son **P LOKENDRA's** Birth Certificate, my name is mentioned as **PREM**, vide affidavit dated 25-07-2024, sworn before Advocate and Notary **NATESH .D** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) M.D.KAMRAN AKMAL Residing at # 6, 13th Main Road, Shamanna Nagar, Bengaluru-560026, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) M.D.KAMRAN AKMAL** to **(NEW NAME) MOHAMMED KAMRAN AKMAL** vide affidavit dated 29.07.2024 sworn before Notary G.B.Turamari, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Smt. RATHNAMMA @ NAGARATHNAMMA,** Aged about 41 years, Wife of Sri.Cheluva Raju, residing at No.194, 5th Cross, 4th Main, Srinivasanagara, Hosakerehalli, Bangalore-560 085, I declare that my name is mentioned in few documents only as **Rathnamma** and in few documents only as **Nagarathnamma** instead of mentioning as **Rathnamma @ Nagarathnamma** and my true and correct name is **Rathnamma @ Nagarathnamma.,** vide affidavit dated 27/7/2024 sworn to before T.C.Thimmaraja advocate and notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, No.10490252W Rank Hav Name **Selvaraj D** R/at Mettupatty(Vill) Begampur(Po), Dindigul(Dist). Tamil Nadu-624002 have changed my son name from **S RENITH** to **RENITH S** vide affidavit dated: 16/7/2024 Before Notary **Prasad Shetty.K.B** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **BHARGAVAPANTHULU** Presently residing at No.201, 1st Floor ,12th B Main Road, 6th Block, Rajajinagar Bengaluru - 560010. Henceforth changed my name to **BHARGAV PANTHULU** vide Affidavit dated: 19/07/2024 before Notary **T.C.Thimmaraja**, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **VIJAYA.M** Presently residing at No.728, 9th Cross,10th Main Road, Near Cauvery School, Indranagar 2nd Stage, Bengaluru - 560016. Henceforth changed my name to **VIJAYA LAKSHMI K**. Vide Affidavit dated: 22/07/2024 before Notary **T.C.Thimmaraja,** Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) M K G LUNGTHAILIU,** Spouse of NO. JC-311584P NB/SUB M JAOJENLUNG, Residing at Thangmeilband (Tehsil), Tharon, Imphal (Dist), MANIPUR (State), PIN: 795001, Have Changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) K G LUNGTHAILIU,** Vide Affidavit Dated 25.07.2024 Sworn Before Notary S.I. BALAGURU BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Mr. RAJESH KUMAR SAH,** Aged 36 years, Son of Yogendra Sah, residing at No.30, 'Gayathri Nilaya', HMR Layout, 1st Cross, Medarahalli, Chikkabanavara Post, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru -560090, Karnataka, India, have changed my Son's name from his old name **"ANKUL KUMAR SAH"** to his new name **"ABHIRAJ. R"** vide Affidavit dated: 27/07/2024 duly sworn to before **Sri. Ramasanjeevaiah. K.V.,** Notary Public, Govt. Of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) J MOHMMED TAJEER BASHA Residing at H No 4/18, 1st Floor, 9th 'A' Main BTM Layout 1st stage VTC Bangalore South PO: Dharmaram College, Sub Dist Bangalore South, Bangaluru, Pin 560029, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) J MOHMMED TAJEER BASHA** to **(NEW NAME) J MOHAMMAD TAJIR BASHA** vide affidavit dated 28.07.2023 sworn before Notary B.H.Rajendra, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SHERAJ PASHA,** R/o No. 03, Sri Rama Residency, VVN Arcade, Shanthi Layout Main Road, Ramamurthy Nagar, Bengaluru-560 016, Karnataka, India do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SHERAJ PASHA ABDUL SAMAD** to **SHERAJ PASHA,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **SHERAJ PASHA** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 29-7-2024, sworn before Advocate and Notary **SRINATHA .D.R** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **JALALUDDIN** S/o **Mohammed Hanif,** R/at No.8, 2nd Cross, 4th Floor, P&T Colony, Venkateshpuram, Bangalore- 560045 have changed my name to **JALALUDDIN CHICKMANGALORE HANIF** vide affidavit dated:29/7/2024 Before Notary **M.Rajendra** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, AADITYA RAAJ MITRA (Old Name) Resident of: Flat No 103 Block 1 Ranka Park Apartment 456 Lalbagh Road Richmond Circle, Bengaluru 560027, have changed my name as **AADIRAJ MITRA** (New Name) for all purposes, vide affidavit dated: 26/07/2024 before notary **S. Samuel Solomon.**

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) SHIVAPPA,** Father of NO.15322701F, HAV, MALLAPPA YENAGI, Residing at Ingalagi (Vill), Ingalagi (Post), Saundatti (Tehsil), Belagavi (Dist), KARNATAKA (State), PIN: 591111, Have Changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) SHIVAPPA YENAGI,** And **DOB** from **01.07.1960** to **01.01.1954** Vide Affidavit Dated 26.07.2024 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) B SUJATA,** Spouse of NO.15322526X HAV BALU GOVEKAR, Residing at Kanabargi (Vill & Post), Belagavi (Taluk & Dist), KARNATAKA (State), PIN: 590016, Have Changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) SUJATA BALU GOVEKAR,** And **DOB** from **24.10.1988** to **24.04.1988,** Vide Affidavit Dated 26.07.2024 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **RONAK NAZEER AHAMED NADAF** S/o Najeerahmad Nadaf Presently residing at Flat No.G-1, Plot No.429, 9th A Cross, Yelahanka New Town, Bengaluru - 560064. Henceforth changed my name to **ROUNAK NADAF** vide Affidavit dated: 29/07/2024 before Notary **S.R.Ravikumar**, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, the undersigned **LAKSHMAN RAJU VULCHI** (new name) previously called **LAKSHMANAN VULCHI** (old name), aged about 45 years, S/o. Mr. Venkataraju Vulchi , resident of No. C-86, Sharini Apartment, Flat No: 201, 2nd Floor, Alfa Garden, Kodigehalli Main Road, K R.Puram, Bangalore – 560 036, do hereby solemnly declare and state that I have changed my name from **LAKSHMANAN VULCHI** to **LAKSHMAN RAJU VULCHI** by swearing to an affidavit in front of Notary public, **Mr. K.B.Sadha Shivappa** on 27.07.2024 for all purposes.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **MOHAMMAD BILAL .A** S/o Mr. Asif Pasha, Residing at No. 683, 7th Cross, ,2nd Block, H.B.R. Layout, 1st Stage Bangalore North, Bengaluru, Karnataka Pin. 560043, declare that I have changed my name from **MOHAMMAD BILAL ASIF PASHA** to **MOHAMMAD BILAL ASIF**, vide affidavit dated 27-07-2024 before Notary Public / Advocate **Sri. S.I.Balaguru,** Bengaluru for all purposes wherever it is warranted.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) ANIL TANNERU Residing at Flat No.11086, Prestige Royal Garden, Tower 11, Wing 2, 8th Floor, Avalahalli, Doddaballapur Main Road, Yelahanka Taluk, Bangalore560 064, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) ANIL TANNERU** to **(NEW NAME) TANNERU ANIL BABU** vide affidavit dated 17.07.2024 sworn before Notary H.K.Gopalagowda, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **CHICKMAGALUR MOHAMMED KHALID SHARIFF** (Holding Indian Passport Number K8024469) husband of FASIHA RIZWANA (Holding Indian Passport Number K8024774, state that my name **KHALID SHARIFF** pertains to one and same person i.e. **CHICKMAGALUR MOHAMMED KHALID SHARIFF** (Real and Final Name) sworn vide affidavit dated: 27-07-2023 before Notary **N Peruvazhuthi,** Bangalore.

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SANJAY DUTT AS DHAK DEVA IN PREM'S *KD - THE DEVIL* DRAWS INSPIRATION FROM *KHAL NAYAK*

Director Prem, speaking about Sanjay Dutt's role in the Pan-India film starring Dhruva Sarja, also draws parallels between the working styles of Sanjay Dutt and Shivarajkumar

A still from the film

Sanjay brings a distinctive flair reminiscent of his iconic roles, particularly inspired by his character in Khal Nayak
Prem, director

A SHARADHAA

SANJAY DUTT, the iconic *Adheera* from *KGF Chapter 2,* is set to enthral Kannada audiences once again with his role in director Prem's upcoming Pan-India film, *KD – The Devil*. On his 65th birthday, the film's team unveiled a captivating character poster introducing Sanjay as Dhak Deva. Described as 'The Lord of Devil's Democracy,' hints at an intense and powerful performance from the veteran actor.

Sanjay cuts a striking figure in a modern-meets-retro ensemble. A classic denim jacket, paired effortlessly with a black tee, forms the foundation of his look. A bold statement is made with a police officer's belt, repurposed as a neck accessory, adding an unexpected edge. A worn cap, sturdy boots, and a pair of stylish sunglasses complete the eclectic mix. His long hair cascades freely, and a crimson teeka adorns his forehead, lending a touch of spirituality to the rebellious outfit. The entire scene is bathed in the warm glow of nostalgia, with vintage cars serving as a picturesque backdrop, heightening the air of mystery and intrigue.

Set in the early 1970s, *KD – The Devil* features Dhruva Sarja as the titular criminal, Kalidasa. Director Prem offers a glimpse into Sanjay Dutt's complex character, Dhak Deva: "He's neither a hero nor a villain, but a unique force who will electrify the screen. Sanjay brings a distinctive flair reminiscent of his iconic roles, particularly inspired by his character in *Khal Nayak* (1993). There's a thrilling sequence where he and Madhuri Dixit enter a village, followed by an action-packed scene where he rescues the heroine in a police avatar. His *Khal Nayak* persona has definitely influenced this character."

Prem | Sanjay Dutt | Suprith

Director Prem is an avowed fan of Sanjay Dutt, and he believes the role of Dhak Deva perfectly aligns with the actor's on-screen persona. "Dhak Deva is a character that combines innocence with raw intensity, a perfect fit for the actor," Prem enthuses. Elaborating on Dutt's look in the film, Prem reveals, "This police avatar is a product of my imagination, inspired by the 1970s era. I meticulously crafted this look and shared it with Sanjay's close friends, and producers Anil Thadani and Sajid Nadiadwala, who were equally thrilled. They believe this role will mark a significant comeback for Sanjay."

Comparing Sanjay Dutt to our Century Star, Shivarajkumar, Prem notes, "Like Shivanna, Sanjay Dutt too finds joy in his work and his camaraderie with other actors on set. He's known for his dedication and ease in switching from a composed demeanour to a powerful presence once in character."

Produced by Venkat K Narayana under KVN Productions banner with Suprith as executive producer, *KD – The Devil* is slated for a December release, with an official date to be announced soon. The period action drama, featuring music by Arjun Janya and dialogues by Kranthi, will be released in Kannada, Tamil, Telugu, Malayalam, and Hindi. Boasting a stellar cast including Dhruva Sarja, Sanjay Dutt, Ramesh Aravind, V. Ravichandran, Shilpa Shetty, and Reeshma Nanaiah, the film also features Nora Fatehi in a special song.

Nagini Bharana to make directorial debut with *Genius Muttha*

The film, starring Master Shreyass along with Vijay Raghavendra, TS Nagabharana, and Girija Lokesh among others, is all set to hit theatres on August 9

CE FEATURES

NAGINI BHARANA, who has had an illustrious career as a costume designer, is now all set to direct her maiden feature film titled, *Genius Muttha*. She is the wife of acclaimed filmmaker TS Nagabharana, known for the National Award-winning film, *Chinnari Mutha*. She will be collaborating with her husband on this upcoming project.

Actor Vijaya Raghavendra, best known for his iconic role in *Chinnari Muttha*, served as the perfect ambassador for the film's launch. Joining him at the event were Girija Lokesh, Pannagabharana, and Bapu Padmanabha. Raghavendra shared his enthusiasm for the project at the launch.

Genius Muttha, produced by G S Lata Jaiprakash, is set to hit theaters on August 9. The film features Master Shreyass Jaiprakash in the titular role. Vijaya Raghavendra, known for his diverse roles, is set to make a special appearance in the upcoming film.

At the event, director Nagini Bharana elaborated, "The story, crafted based on Nagabharana's recommendation along with my friends', offers a distinctive narrative set against the picturesque backdrop of Biligirirangana Hills. Our ensemble cast features Master Shreyass, Vijaya Raghavendra, TS Nagabharana, Girija Lokesh, Sundarraj, Pannagabharana, and others. The film has already garnered acclaim at international festivals."

Reflecting on his wife's journey, TS Nagabharana shared, "Nagini Bharana has been instrumental in assisting me across various projects, and now she has taken the reins to direct her own film. I have a modest role in this venture."

Grateful for the opportunity, Master Shreyass expressed, "I owe my acting skills to Nagarabharana. Encouraged by my mother, I portray Genius Muttha in this film.

Vijaya Raghavendra humbly acknowledged, "I am deeply indebted to Nagabharana sir for his invaluable guidance and mentorship. Even today, many recognise me as Chinnari Muttha. It's a privilege to contribute to Nagini Bharana's directorial debut."

Producer Lata Jaiprakash added, "Having known Nagini for over a decade, I encouraged her to create a story tailored for my son and take on the directorial role herself. Her efforts have been commendable, and we eagerly anticipate the film's release in the coming month."

Team *Genius Muttha*

Sandesh Shetty's *Gumti* celebrates the culture and traditions of the Kudubi tribe

CE FEATURES

GUMTI, Sandesh Shetty Ajri's directorial venture, offers a glimpse into the lives of the Kudubi tribe, a coastal community in Karnataka. Named after a traditional Kudubi instrument, the film presents a compelling narrative that explores the dynamic tension between age-old customs and contemporary influences. Through its exploration of the tribe's rich cultural heritage, *Gumti* aims to shed light on their unique practices and traditions.

The production of Gumt has wrapped up. The team has released a soulful track titled 'Haduva Hakki' (The Singing Bird), performed by Mehboob Sab and composed by Dundi Mohan. Sandesh, known for his work on Kattale Kone and Inamdarm, has also written the story and screenplay for *Gumti,* in which he stars as the lead. The film offers a compelling portrayal of life among the Kudubi community on the Karnataka coast.

On *Gumti*, Sandesh Shetty shares, "Several Kannada films in the past have depicted the rich cultural heritage, traditions, and lives of coastal regions in Karnataka. However, Rishab Shetty's Pan India blockbuster *Kantara* was the best example, specifically exploring folklore and cultural practices."

The shooting of *Gumti* spanned over 30 days across various locations including Udupi, Kundapur, Karwar, Shirsi, Hubli, Dharwad, Belgaum, Solapur, and the Western Ghats. Produced by Vikas S Shetty under Tasmay Productions, *Gumti* features cinematography by Anish D'Souza and editing by Shivaraj Mehu. The film's cast also includes Vaishnavi Nadig as Malli, a Kudubi girl, along with Karan Kunder, Yash Acharya, Prabhakara Kunder, Raghu Pandeshwar, and Ranjan Chhatrapati in significant roles.

A still from the film

Out of Syllabus brings international fashion to Kannada cinema

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PRADEEP DODDAIAH'S upcoming directorial venture, *Out of Syllabus,* has generated significant buzz, due to its unique title and content created by director-turned-actor himself. The film now boasts an international flair with the female lead, Hrithika Srinivas donning a dress designed by Thomas Abraham, known for his work with Miss World Morocco, Sonia Ait Mansour.

The film's production house, Ad6 Entertainment, has also made headlines by involving over 10,000 students in the film's production, underscoring the project's ambitious scale and community-oriented approach.

"Our aim with *Out of Syllabus* is to create a film with a strong impact that can compete on a broader stage," says Pradeep Doddaiah, who is also the film's writer. He adds that the film, produced by Vijayakala Sudhakar, has caught attention, particularly among young audiences, thanks to its intriguing title and captivating teaser.

A still from the film

Out of Syllabus is inspired by the relatable experience of students grappling with exam questions outside the prescribed syllabus. The film delves deeper, exploring universal life lessons that transcend traditional education. The film features Achyuth Kumar in a significant role as Huccha Rayappa, along with Ramakrishna and Chithkala Biradar in pivotal roles.

With principal photography complete and post-production in full swing, the team is eagerly awaiting to lock the release date for *Out of Syllabus*.

New *Star Trek* comedy series in development

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THE *Star Trek* universe is set to expand with a new live-action comedy series. The writer-director of *Dear White People* and The *Haunted Mansion,* Justin Simien, is joining hands with the voice star of *Star Trek: Lower Decks,* Tawny Newsome, for the Paramount+ series. Simien and Newsome announced it during their recent Star Trek panel at San Diego Comic-Con.

The series is set in the 25th century, in the post-Star Trek: Picard era. The show follows Federation outsiders working on a resort planet who discover their daily lives are being broadcast to the entire quadrant. The series is described as a workplace comedy, similar to The Office and Parks and Recreation.